TODAY'S WEATHER
Occasional Showers; Light to Fresh South Winds.

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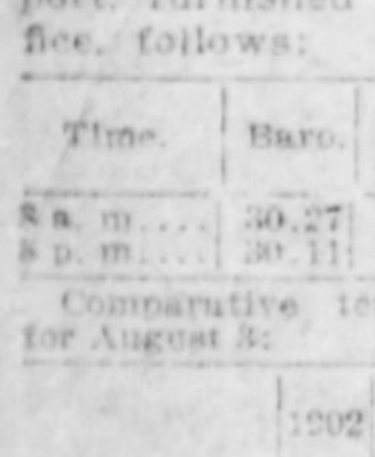

Showers.

Occasional showers are predicted today and tomorrow for Pittsburgh by the Washington weather observer. Yesterday's maximum was 84, and the minimum 65. Shortly after noon there was a heavy downpour of rain, measuring .25 of an inch. The sun rose clear at 4:57 and set cloudy at 7:14 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.27	68	81	S	Pt Cloudy
8 p. m....	30.11	76	76	S.	Pt Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for August 3:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	90	83	Mean	79	76
Minimum	68	69	Precipitation ..	.16	.00

Max. temp. 1 p. m.	84	Excess since Jan. 1.	292
Min. temp. 3 a. m.	65	Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.12
Mean temperature.	74	Precip. for day.....	.25
Nor. tem. 31 yrs....	74	Exc. for the day....	.13
Exc. or dfy., day..	0	Dfcy. since Aug. 1.	.11
Dfcy. since Aug. 1.	12	Exc. since Jan. 1..	2.78

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Occasional showers Tuesday and probably Wednesday; light to fresh winds, mostly southerly.

Ohio—Partly cloudy Tuesday; showers in northern portion; Wednesday, showers, with cooler in south portion; variable winds.

West Virginia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cairo	86	Clear	Washington ..	74	Clear
Chicago	74	Cloudy	Indianapolis ..	78	PtCldy
Omaha	86	PtCldy	Des Moines ..	84	Clear
St. Louis....	90	PtCldy	Kansas City..	86	Clear
New York....	70	Cloudy	New Orleans..	76	Cloudy
Buffalo	70	Cloudy	Philadelphia ..	70	Cloudy
Louisville ..	76	PtCldy	St. Paul	74	Cloudy
Memphis	84	PtCldy	Huron	84	Clear
El Paso	80	PtCldy	Denver	92	PtCldy
Marquette ..	60	Cloudy	Salt L. City..	90	Clear

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

BIJOU—West's Minstrels, 2 and 8 p. m.

ACADEMY—Bon-Ton Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Stock opera company in "The Mikado," 8:15 p. m.

EXPOSITION PARK—Pain's "Last Days of Pompeii," benefit of Pittsburgh Elks, K. of P. night, 8:15.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Concerts by Rocereto's band, afternoon and evening; steeplechase horses and other attractions.

SOUTHERN PARK—Big vaudeville bill, 3:30 and 8:30 p. m.

CALHOUN PARK—Bryant & Saville's Minstrels, 3:30 and 8:30 p. m.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived August 3.

New York—Zeeland from Antwerp.

Rotterdam—Amsterdam from New York.

London—Minnetonka from New York.

Bremen—Koenigin Luise from New York.

Suez—Charles Tiberghien from Yokohama via Shanghai for New York; Isle de Panay from Manila via Singapore.

Hamburg—Bluecher from New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Antwerp—Vaderland from New York.

Sailed—August 3.

Plymouth—Pennsylvania for New York.

GLOVE CASE GOES TO KNOX

Root Asks Attorney General to Investigate Littauer's Connection.

STATUTE VIOLATED

Government Wants the Money Paid on One Contract Refunded.

ENTIRE CASE TO BE PROBED.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.

Representative Lucius N. Littauer's case now rests with Attorney General Knox. After a long conference this afternoon with Judge Advocate General Davis, Secretary Root announced that there seemed to be prima facie evidence of a violation of the statute forbidding members of congress to interest themselves in government contracts, and on this account he had referred the charges against Mr. Littauer to the department of justice.

The report of Inspector General Garlington on the contracts with E. R. Lyon, in which Mr. Littauer is said to be interested, Judge Advocate General Davis' opinion of the case and a statement by the secretary of the war on the attitude of the war department toward the prosecuted were immediately forwarded to the law department.

Attorney General Knox is not in town and no official of his department would discuss the matter tonight, but it is assumed on all sides that the case will receive immediate attention and be treated the same as all others of like nature. In submitting the documents to Attorney General Knox, with the statement that there is prima facie evidence of a violation of the law, Secretary Root sustains the opinion of Judge Advocate Davis, which makes clear that there is ground to recover on the contract of December 7, 1898.

Practically the only question on which the department of justice is asked to give a ruling, is whether it should be brought against Littauer Bros. to recover all the money, or only part of the money paid to them by the government on the December contract. In the course of his report Gen. Davis gives the following:

It appears from the testimony that on October 15, 1898, a contract was awarded to Lyon for 3,000 pairs of muskrat gloves at $1 54 per pair; on December 7, 1898, a second contract for 20,000 pairs was awarded to Lyon at $1 70 per pair; a stipulation being inserted to the effect that deliveries under it could be increased 50 per cent, at the discretion of the officer making the contract. The government took advantage of the stipulation and 30,061 pairs were actually called for and delivered under the contract of December 7, 1898.

Some discussion having arisen as to the price which Lyon was to pay for gauntlets delivered under the contract of December 7, an agreement was entered into between Littauer Bros. and Lyon to the effect that an accurate account of the cost of manufacture was to be kept and if, after the contract was completed, it should prove that the cost of manufacture did not equal $1 65 per pair, Lyon was to receive one-half of the profits. There was a profit of $3,537 05, one-half of which was credited to Lyon on the books of Littauer Bros.

Wants Money Refunded.

A case falling within the prohibition of the statute is clearly shown in the testimony, which, in the opinion of this office, charges the department with the performance of the duty set forth in section 3,739 of the revised statutes; and it is, therefore, recommended that a demand be made by the quartermaster general upon the firm of Littauer Bros. for the repayment of whatever sum is found to have been paid in consideration of the contract of December 7, 1898, with E. R. Lyon, as extended, in accordance with its terms, by the quartermaster's department.

Having regard to the highly penal character of the statute above cited, which requires it to receive a strict construction at the hands of the department, it is recommended that the opinion of the attorney general be obtained as to whether, in view of the fact that the contract has been completely executed; that the entire consideration has passed, and that the articles stipulated for have been delivered to and have become the property of the United States, the whole or a portion of the consideration shall be made the subject of the demand.

Root's Indorsement.

Secretary Root makes the following indorsement on the opinion of the judge advocate general, and which sends the case from the department of justice:

I suppose there is no doubt that a manufacturing firm, one member of which happens to be a member of congress, has a right to manufacture and sell goods to jobbers who are filling government contracts and that they do not come within the prohibition of the statute so long as the contract between the firm and the jobber is a separate and distinct transaction from the contract between the jobber and the government.

There appears to be no evidence that in the manufacture of gloves by Littauer Bros., to be used in filling government contracts made by Lyon and others, there was any violation of the statute except in one case, the contract of December 7, 1898. It is not the duty or the right of the secretary of war to adjudicate that case, or to determine whether the statute was or was not violated, except in so far as it may be necessary for him to decide what action, if any should be taken by the war department, in view of the facts disclosed.

I think the indications of an interest by the manufacturing firm in the jobber's contract with the government, are sufficient to require me to proceed upon the theory that there is a prima facie case of violation of the statute. These duties are thereupon devolved upon the war department:

Knox to Get Facts.

First, to put the department of justice in possession of the facts, in order that if that department finds the law to have been violated it may take appropriate measures for its enforcement. This will be done.

Second, to direct the proper officer of the department to demand repayment of any sum of money which has been advanced on the part of the United States, in considera-

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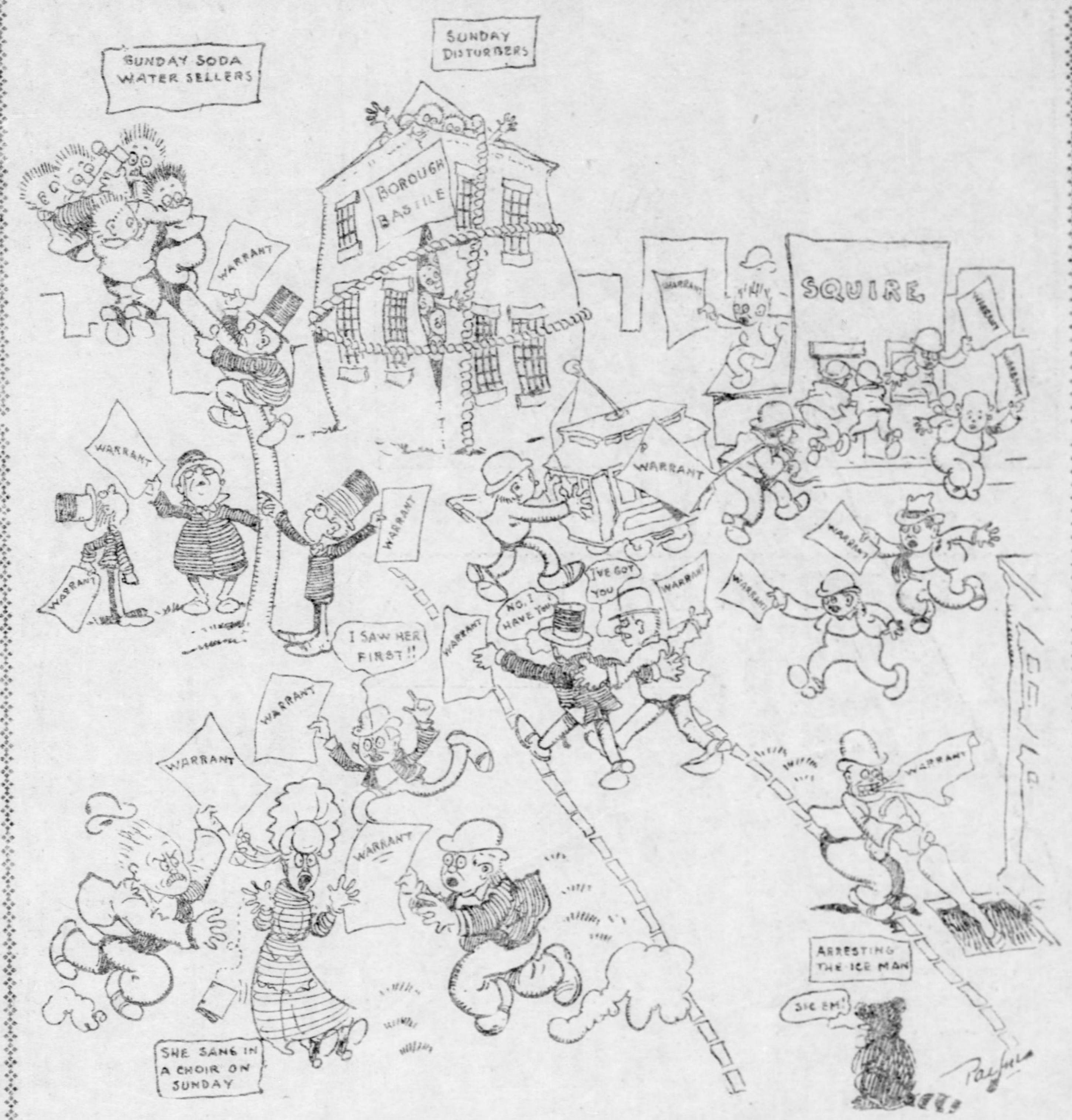

Enforcing Sunday Law in Wilkinsburg.

WALKED ABOUT IN BAREFEET

Sad Plight of the Widow of President Barrios in New York.

PLACED IN A PRISON CELL

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Aug. 3.

After having been driven about in a cab for two hours this evening, a woman who said she was Mme. de Barrios, widow of a former president of Guatemala, was locked up in the West Thirtieth street police station. To Policeman O'Brien, who found her wandering in Thirtieth street, near Seventh avenue, it seemed that she acted strangely. Mme. de Barrios explained to Sergt. Wall that she was ill.

John Kelly, a cab driver, was engaged late in the afternoon by the woman to drive her to various hotels. She did not get out at any of the places. She complained of being ill and told him to keep moving, as she needed air. When she finally decided to dismiss Kelly she told him she had no money. When Policeman O'Brien took her into custody she haughtily told him she was an aristocrat and that it would disgrace her to be placed in a cell.

"I am the widow of Don Jose R. de Barrios, who once was president of Guatemala," she told Sergeant Wall. "I live in Paris and have no home in this city."

Later she said she lived in the Hotel Lafayette-Brevoort. Mme. de Barrios was admitted to bail furnished by the manager of the hotel.

In her bare feet—she had removed her shoes and stockings and declined slippers, which a matron offered her—Mme. de Barrios walked haughtily to a carriage leaning on the arm of her stepson, a Mr. Watson, who explained that he and his mother had been in town two days and were on their way to Paris.

Gen. Barrios fought with Guatemala volunteers under his uncle under President Reina. After the death of the president, Barrios was made division general in 1889 and minister of war later. He was elected president of Guatemala for six years in 1892, but was assassinated.

MINERS WANTED MILITIA, BUT GOVERNOR REFUSED

DENVER, Aug. 3.—Gov. Peabody today answered the petition of the Idaho Springs miners union, asking protection from the state against the banishment of the union miners by the alliance organization of Idaho Springs, also protection by military for them in the event they return to their homes. The governor says that the expelled miners will have to seek redress through the courts at Idaho Springs, and that under the constitution and laws of the state he is not vested with the power and authority to act in the matter.

Minnesota to Appeal Merger Case.

ST. PAUL, MINN., Aug. 3.—Attorney General Douglas today wired from Banff, B. C., to his assistants at the capital to take immediate steps to take the state's case against the merger to the court of appeals. Mr. Douglas will return to St. Paul on August 5.

ONE CARDINAL DYING; NO ELECTION OF POPE

Herrera of Spain at Death's Door—Receives Last Sacraments—Conclave in Deadlock—Delay Gives Gibbons a Chance.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Rome, Aug. 3.—Cardinal Herrara of Spain, one of the oldest cardinals in the conclave, is reported to be dying. This news came from the conclave soon after it became known that the cardinals had failed to elect a pope on the sixth ballot. Cardinal Herrara grew so ill during the afternoon, according to the report, that the last sacraments of the church were administered. The recital of prayers and the procession, as the communion was being taken to the sick cardinal in his cell, were heard by those outside the sistine chapel.

It is said that confirmation of the report has been obtained from Dr. Lapponi, who is within the conclave, and that oxygen is being administered. Dr. Lapponi has been allowed, in view of the great anxiety over the cardinal's condition, to inform Spanish notables of the progress of his illness. Cardinal Herrera was ill when he entered the conclave and immediately retired to his cell. He has since been under the care of Dr. Lapponi and has voted by proxy. He has been suffering with heart disease.

Sixth Ballot in Vain.

The sixth ballot taken by the conclave this afternoon was without result. So far as can be learned by those outside the vatican, the election of a successor to Leo XIII, as supreme pontiff is prevented by a serious deadlock. Cardinals Langencux and Cretoni also are seriously ill.

The latter did not wish to take part in the conclave. He is deeply religious and was possessed by the belief that he was unfit to interpret the divine will by casting a vote for any one.

The temper of the crowd, which was extremely irritable in the forenoon, changed to jocularity in the afternoon. Curiosity seemed as great as ever, but there was no demonstration of impatience. The favorite form of greeting when friends meet on the plaza is: "Good day, wish you a pleasant smoke."

The guard outside the vatican has been augmented. Precaution has been taken, it is said, because of the numerous efforts made to communicate with the cardinals and their attendants locked within the vatican.

Gibbons Has Chance.

It now seems certain that the foreign cardinals and those cardinals who belong to the papal curia are at a deadlock, and the cardinals de curia and the provincial cardinals are in the same position. The foreign cardinals, under the leadership of Cardinals Gibbons and Kopp, went into the conclave determined to oppose the election of any member of the curia, and the latter cardinals are equally opposed to the selection of a provincial.

In view of this situation it is regarded here as extremely likely that a compromise candidate will be chosen, and the probability that Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore will be agreed upon is favorably talked of. It is regarded as unlikely that the cardinals of the papal court would withdraw in favor of a foreign cardinal.

According to rumor the balloting of the first day resulted in giving Rampolla 20 votes, Vanutelli 12, Gotti 7, the others being scattered. It is possible that these figures may be correct, for, no matter how strict the inclosure at all previous conclaves, facts regarding the vote have leaked out.

Deadlock in Conclave.

The 22 votes not accounted for represent the number of foreign cardinals sitting in the conclave. It is evident that the foreign cardinals did not cast their

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LYNCHING OF NEGRO DEFENDED BY SAM JONES

Says It Is Not Anarchy, but the Correct Treatment of Wild Beasts.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., Aug. 3.—Sam Jones, one of the speakers at the Bloomington Chautauqua, was asked while here what, in his opinion, was responsible for the race wars in the north, particularly the Danville and Evansville riots. He said:

"I have lived among negroes all my life and know them pretty well and in my mind there is not much in this excitement about them. Now, this lynching business is not anarchy. If a mad dog or wild beast runs through the streets and bites some one, the thing to do is to kill it, and kill it before it does any more harm.

"There is not much difference between a wild beast and a negro who will attack a white woman. It was the enfranchisement of the negro that made the trouble at first. The only education I think is useful to black men is manual training. Booker Washington is doing the most for them."

HOSTILE FLEETS ARE PREPARING FOR ACTION

Sham War Maneuvers Actually Begin and Squadron Takes to Sea.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

BAR HARBOR, ME., Aug. 3.—The war maneuvers actually began today when the so-called hostile squadron withdrew from the combined North Atlantic fleet, and departed from the harbor. The squadron is in command of Rear Admiral Sands and consisted of the battleships Texas, Indiana and Massachusetts and the torpedo boat destroyers Lawrence and Whipple.

The vessels when last seen were heading in a south-southeasterly direction. Wednesday at noon the remainder of the fleet under Rear Admiral Barker will assume the defensive. Each vessel will hurry to a point assigned by secret instructions.

Some time between Wednesday noon and next Monday, the hostile squadron must make whatever demonstration is to be made or secure an anchorage, in order to win. An attack may be attempted at any point between Eastport and Cape Ann.

LEADERS OF THE DEMOCRACY PICK ARTHUR P. GORMAN FOR PRESIDENCY

State Chairman Working in Interest of the Maryland Senator.

CREATING SENTIMENT

Activity of the Elk Man Is Inspired by Those High in National Party Councils.

BACKER OF THE GRAY BOOM

There are strong indications that the Democratic leaders have decided that Senator Arthur Pue Gorman of Maryland is the man to nominate for president next year. In this state, J. K. P. Hall, chairman of the state committee, is beginning to create sentiment for the Maryland senator. There are sufficient reasons for believing that his activity in behalf of Gorman has been inspired by those high in the national councils of the party.

The first step in the launching of the Gorman boom was taken Saturday when the senator announced in New York that the "leading issues of the Democracy next year will be the reformation of the tariff and taxation, economy and honesty." There has been much going on under cover for several months. From one well posted in what is occurring in the inner circles of the national Democratic leaders, it develops that about the same men who have managed the party since 1896 have decided to back the candidacy of Gorman. One of those most interested in the Maryland senator's behalf is said to be J. K. Jones of Arkansas, chairman of the national committee. Senator W. J. Stone of Missouri is also credited with favoring Gorman. The senator's friends even predict that William J. Bryan will get into line for him. A solid south is expected to rally to his support.

State Convention Silent.

While Gorman has the strongest kind of support in Pennsylvania, nothing will be done in his behalf in the state convention to be held in Harrisburg next month. The convention will do nothing indicative of where the state will stand in the contest next year for the Democratic presidential nomination. Incidentally it can be said that there is no truth in the story that Chauncey F. Black of York will be the presiding officer of the approaching convention. Because York Democrats selected ex-Senator Harvey W. Haines as their county chairman, they will be disciplined. Haines incurred the ill-favor of the state Democracy by his actions in the session of 1901.

The talk of ex-Gov. Robert E. Pattison as the choice of the Democracy of Pennsylvania for president is said to have emanated from ex-Judge James Gay Gordon of Philadelphia. Gordon is a bitter political enemy of the ex-governor and his friendship in this case is doubted.

Several weeks ago announcement was made in the anthracite coal region that there was a strong sentiment in favor of the nomination of Judge George Gray of Delaware for president. Judge Gray was a member of the strike commission.

Peter Hughes Promoter.

According to advices from there the boom was inspired and promoted by ex-Police Magistrate Peter J. Hughes of Philadelphia. The scheme collapsed. Hughes was in Pittsburgh Sunday on a mysterious mission. Last fall he announced that he had quit the Democratic party for good, and in the future would give the G. O. P. his undivided attention.

Some attention is being given the place of holding the next national convention. The members of the national committee are said to be generally adverse to selecting one of the smaller cities. The experiences in Kansas City three years ago has convinced them that a full grown town is to be desired. There has been talk of Baltimore, but Senator Gorman says that there is not much likelihood of his city being selected. Milwaukee made a strong plea for the honor in 1900 and will renew its claims this time. Chicago is credited as the favorite in the race. It is able in every way to accommodate the great crowds, and has the advantage of being centrally located.

DIED DURING EARTHQUAKE.

Woman Succumbed from Shock of the Seismic Disturbance in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—Reports from different portions of California say that but little damage was done by last night's seismic disturbance, although it was quite severe. The temblor was centered at San Jose, where numerous windows and much crockery were broken. Mrs. P. M. Lusson, a sufferer from heart disease, died during the shock.

Lick observatory reports the shock the heaviest in the history of the place. The indicator of the seismograph was dislodged and no record obtained. In San Jose the shock lasted from 20 to 30 seconds and was from east to west.

HAWAII TO BE BOOMED.

Pacific Island to Be Extensively Advertised Over World to Attract Immigration.

HONOLULU, Aug. 3.—The citizens of Honolulu are determined to do all within their power to promote immigration to the island. With this end in view, the Merchants' association and the chamber of commerce will advertise the advantages of Hawaii to the outside world, besides the catering to the comfort of visitors who arrive here.

Probable Democratic Candidate for President.

Senator Arthur Pue Gorman.

GERMANY ALSO HAS A SCANDAL

Kaiser Orders Government Defalcations Probed to the Bottom.

NONE WILL BE SPARED.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Berlin, Aug. 3.—A number of scandals, said to be somewhat similar to those in the United States, have just been discovered in various government offices. The high officials, acting upon orders from the kaiser, refuse to give any information as to details. They do not deny, however, that several departments have been found to be honeycombed with fraud and many officials who have not yet been detected in any wrong doing are suspected and closely watched while the records of their offices are being examined by experts.

Several defalcations have been discovered, and the kaiser has ordered the postmaster general to give orders to his subordinates to keep a record of all money sent or received by any employe of the government. The examination of books and investigation of all government departments will be carried on night and day, and a complete report will be presented to the kaiser when he returns from Norway.

The postmaster general, while not actualy refusing to do as ordered, has tried to convince the government that the postal department would be unable to help the investigation in the way suggested. In the meantime the socialistic press is rejoicing and watching every movement made by the government, and should any partiality be shown, the socialistic papers will fall upon the government like a pack of wolves.

It doesn't look, however, as if they will get a chance to complain, as the kaiser evidently means to shift the whole affair to the bottom, and to punish every official, high or low, found guilty of any dishonesty, and there is no doubt that the kaiser is thoroughly in earnest.

CLEVELAND WILL NOT MENTION POLITICS

Will Simply Make a Short After-Dinner Speech at Chicago Club Banquet.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—James H. Eckels, who extended the invitation to ex-President Cleveland, on behalf of the Commercial club, to be the club's guest next October, has received a letter from Mr. Cleveland, definitely fixing the date as the 14th. In the course of the letter alluding to the report that had been spread that Mr. Cleveland was going to discuss politics in his after-dinner speech, he says:

"I wonder whether it cannot in some way be given out emphatically that in what I say at the club's dinner not a single word of politics will cross my lips and that my so-called address will be simply an after-dinner talk of probably a half hour."

CHIEF JUSTICE TO INVESTIGATE RIOTS

PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD, Aug. 3.—The appointment of Sir Henry Borell, chief justice of British Guiana, as commissioner to inquire into the alleged excessive and uncalled for shooting and bayoneting by the police during the recent riots, has been officially announced. These riots occurred March 23. A commission on July 22 reported in favor of the prosecution of the rioters, holding that the police were justified.

SCHWAB RESIGNS THE PRESIDENCY

Will Sever His Connection With the Steel Corporation Today.

COREY PROBABLE SUCCESOR

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Public Ledger Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug. 3.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, will sever his official connection with that concern tomorrow, his resignation as president now being in the hands of the executive committee.

This information comes from a source which admits of no doubt as to its authenticity. For months Mr. Schwab's resignation has been rumored, but each time the rumor appeared it was denied by Mr. Schwab as well as by the corporation's directors.

On July 1 last W. E. Corey, who succeeded Mr. Schwab as president of the Carnegie Steel Company, now owned by the United States Steel Corporation, was appointed assistant to President Schwab, "to perform the active duties of the president of the company." Even then it was denied that Mr. Schwab would retire as president of the corporation. The appointment was made, it was said, to enable President Schwab to take a much-needed rest, "in order to build up his health," which "had been overtaxed by close confinement to the affairs of the corporation since he was elected president."

Mr. Schwab will retire tomorrow as president of the Steel Corporation. It is stated that the corporation's executive committee will meet tomorrow and recommend acceptance of his resignation. The recommendation will then be turned over to the directors, who will meet later in the day and formally approve it. Mr. Schwab will also, it is announced, resign as director, thus completely severing his connection with the company. In Wall street the belief has prevailed for some time that he no longer holds an important interest in the company, having sold the bulk if not his entire holdings of the company's securities.

Mr. Corey, it is stated, will be elected Mr. Schwab's successor, but his duties will be practically the same as those he is now performing—the physical operation of the various plants comprising the corporation. Other changes are expected to be made, but nothing definite regarding them has been given out officially, although it is intimated that Henry C. Frick, a director and member of the finance executive committee, has been prevailed upon to accept the chairmanship of that committee.

BROKE HIS HEAD BY SLIP ON SILVER COIN

Philip Kerber last evening, in Fifth avenue, McKeesport, stepped on a silver dollar on the sidewalk and fell back on his head. He was partially stunned, and a gash five inches long was cut to the back of his head. He was taken to the McKeesport hospital, where he became delirious, tore off the bandages and wandered out into the street. He was taken to the police station, where he raved violently until his injuries were dressed.

POWERS ARE AROUSED BY NEW ATROCITIES

VIENNA, Aug. 3.—The continued excesses of the Turkish troops in Macedonia occasions much disquietude in official circles. It is reported that the Austrian, Russian and German embassies at Constantinople have made fresh representations on the subject to the grand vizier.

RECORD BREAKER FROM CANADIANS

Westinghouses Secure Largest Electric Contract Ever Let in Dominion.

ONE MILLION IS INVOLVED

Pittsburgh Concern Is to Install a Mammoth Electric Plant for the Hamilton Electric Light and Cataract Power Company.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Aug. 3.

The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company has captured in the face of the severest Canadian and American competition, one of the most important Canadian contracts ever let. The contract, which was awarded by the Hamilton (Ontario) Electric Light and Cataract Power Company calls for an 118,000 horse power generating equipment with transformer, its value exceeding $1,000,000.

The steam power station of the Canadian concern, which will be used as an auxiliary to the water power plant at De Caw Falls, 24 miles distant, is to be equipped with two 1,000 kilowatt, two phase, 2,400 volt, 66 cycle engine type generators; one 50 kilowatt motor generator exciter set for these, alternating current generators, consisting of one 75 kilowatt, two phase, 400 volt induction motor, and a 50 kilowatt 125 volt, compound wound engine type generator, constituting a two-bearing set; also a switchboard consisting of two generator panels.

In the receiving station of the Hamilton Light and Power Company will be installed six oil insulated, self-cooling transformers of 500 kilowatts capacity each, with transformer panels, stepping down the current from 20,000 volts or 40,000 volts three phase to 2,400 volts two phase. The two engine type generators above before mentioned will be operated in parallel with the secondaries from these transformers.

For the water power station at Decaw Falls, the Westinghouse Company will furnish two 5,000 kilowatt three phase, 2,400 volt alternators, which will be direct coupled to water wheels that are to be built in Italy. The contract further calls for two 100 kilowatt motor generator exciter sets, each consisting of a 100 kilowatt, 2,400 volt induction motor and two 100 kilowatt 70 volt, direct current compound wound engine type generators, constituting three bearing sets; five 2,500 kilowatt, oil insulated water cooled transformers, transforming from 2,400 volts, three phase to 22,500 or 45,000 volts three phase.

Westinghouse switchboards to control the apparatus, aggregating eight separate switchboards, a total of 18 panels, equipped with oil switches throughout have also been ordered. All the machinery will be manufactured in Pittsburgh.

FRANK A. PARKER.

THE PENNSYLVANIA CUTS DOWN EXPENSES

No More New Men to Be Employed Than Necessary—No General Order Issued.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has begun to keep down expenses. While no general order has been issued, each division superintendent has been instructed not to employ any more men than is absolutely necessary. This applies to train crews, as well as to the men working on the road.

At the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company it was said that every summer many of the men who work in the open air are given days off each month. This is done because the weather is so warm that they may become unfit for duty. All these men are paid by the hour or day, so whatever time they lose is out of their own pocket.

It is rumored that some of the ferry hands on the boats between Philadelphia and Camden have been notified that they will lose one day a month, but, instead of this order going into effect at once, it will not be executed until the summer business falls off.

There is to be a reduction in the number of days the men work all over the system. For the present it will apply mostly to the day workmen and those who have no regular train runs. It is thought there will be a number of extra passenger trains taken off, but this action is not generally taken until the latter part of next month.

A high official of the road said yesterday: "There is no significance in the laying off of men during the month of August. We have been doing this for years. Owing to the hot weather there is not much work done, as is the case when it is not so warm. Our business is large and there are no signs that indicate a falling off. The earnings continue to show an increase."

WILL CLEANSE TOWN.

Homestead Council Reorganizes Police Force and Reform Is to Follow.

The minority faction of Homestead council last night secured control by two of the majority members changing front. As a result the whole police force, consisting of 15 members, was removed and later, with the exception of three, reinstated.

When council convened Chief of Police Morris Sullivan tendered his resignation and it was accepted. He said that he was handicapped by his superiors. Later the minority, finding that it was the majority, put through a resolution discharging the whole police force. Sullivan was then re-elected chief and 12 of the old men reinstated. The three dropped are Capt. Layman, a brother of the chairman of the police committee, William Johnston and Roll Calvin. It was announced that all the gambling houses would be closed

The council authorized the purchase of a site for a garbage plant on the West property at a cost of $5,000. A furnace, with a capacity of 60 tons daily, will be erected.

Big Meeting of Photographers.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Aug. 3.—Nearly 500 photographers have arrived for the national convention, which will open tomorrow. All are busy opening cases containing pictures for the national exhibit, which promises to be the largest ever hung by the association. President Nussbeamer of Buffalo said today that he expected over 1,000 members here.

Young Hunter Fatally Hurt.

FINDLAY, O., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Sixteen-year-old Henry Miller, son of Adam Miller, a prominent merchant, was perhaps fatally injured today. He was hunting near Arlington, when he stumbled, discharging his rifle. The contents struck him in the abdomen.

Passenger Train Derailed.

IRONTON, O., Aug. 3.—A south-bound Norfolk & Western passenger train, due here at 11:58 a. m., was derailed at East Portsmouth today. It is reported that three coaches were turned over and a few passengers hurt, and the fireman fatally injured.

ECZEMA—NO CURE, NO PAY.

Your druggist will refund your money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Ringworm, Tetter, Old Ulcers and Sores, Pimples and Blackheads on the face, and all skin diseases. 50 cents.

WHITE WANTED TO LEAVE KENTUCKY

Told Officer Who Arrested Him That He Would Have Soon Gone.

COMMONWEALTH RESTS CASE

Marcum Murder Trial Now Goes to the Defense, Who Will Present About Twenty Witnesses More Than They Had at Jackson.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CYNTHIANA, KY., Aug. 3.—In the Jett-White murder trial today Bruce Little, a special bailiff during the first trial of Jett at Jackson, testified that he and several men, with soldiers, captured Thomas White after an 18-mile ride over the mountains. After he was taken White said to Little: "In a few minutes more you would not have gotten me, as I would have left here."

Woodson McCord, sheriff of Clark county, testified that he arrested Curtis Jett on Sunday morning, May 10, in Madison county, at his mother's house. That after being arrested he asked for whisky, which was not given him, and Jett said: "I am sorry to be arrested on Sunday, as I would not be taken to Winchester if arrested on another day. I could be taken to Jackson, where I would be all right."

W. H. Blankton, who was called by the prosecution, testified that in a conversation with Capt. Ewen the day after the shooting of James B. Marcum, Ewen told him who did the killing on the previous day.

After having presented 42 witnesses, Commonwealth's Attorney Byrd announced that the commonwealth rested the case. The defense will introduce about 20 witnesses more than they used at Jackson.

The main feature of today was the cross-examination of Thomas White, who was placed on the stand by the defense by Thomas D. Marcum. Marcum, who is one of the attorneys for the prosecution, is a brother of the dead man. White corroborated Mrs. Johnson's testimony as to a conversation between Jett and Mrs. Johnson, but the substance of what was said he denied. White says that after dinner of the day Marcum was killed he left Jett at his grandmother's while Jett says they both came to town together in the afternoon. He says that he was looking for Callahan immediately before the shot was fired, and that was his reason for going into the court house.

Miss Clark on Saturday testified that she saw Sheriff Callahan in Hargis' front store door immediately before the court house, seated in a rocking chair until after the shots were fired, when he sprang to the window with a revolver in his hand.

GLOVE CASE IS SENT TO ATTORNEY GENERAL

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tion of such contract. Strictly speaking no money has been advanced in consideration of the contract but the goods purchased by the government were paid for on delivery. As recommended by the judge advocate general, the opinion of the attorney general will be asked whether within the meaning of the statute such payment constitutes an advance for which a demand should be made.

Third, To determine whether any officer or the army who were concerned in the making of the contract was culpable within the true intent of the law. Upon this I find no evidence that the facts known to the officers of the quartermasters department indicated any other relation between the firm of Lattauer Brothers and the furnishing of gloves to the government that the lawful relation described at the beginning of this memorandum. The contracts were all made in compliance with the requirements of law upon public advertisement on awards to the lowest responsible bidder; and each contained a declaration by the contractor that no member of congress was interested; the prices appear to have been reasonable, the government appears to have got full value for its money; the inspection appears to have been rigid; and the requirements of the specifications appear to have been enforced. No influence and no motives except a desire to attain the best interests of the government appear to have operated upon the officers of the army in the transactions.

ELIHU ROOT, Secretary of War.

LITTAUER TO GO ABROAD.

New York Congressman Fears Nervous Attack, a Result of Glove Scandal.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Congressman Littauer was in Long Branch until late last night, when he informed friends that he would leave this morning to engage passage on the Hamburg American line for Hamburg, and from there would visit Baden Baden Springs for rest and recuperation. He told those in his confidence that he was not physically ill but he feared a nervous attack, and thought a sea voyage would do him good. He has pooh-poohed all ideas of any criminal proceedings being instituted against him, and has advised his attorneys to encourage the most thorough investigation into the glove contracts charge. Those who profess to know Littauer and his family very well, declare that he is suffering from nervous excitement occasioned by the glove scandal, but nothing else troubles him.

VISIT BY BUSINESS MAN.

Delegation from Pittsburgh and Allegheny Will Go to Westminister College Soon.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The managers of Westminster college are making preparations for a visit of leading men of the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny. The college regards these cities as among their strongest supporters, a large proportion of its income and students being received from Allegheny county.

It is arranged to have the visit of the business men occur in September when the college has gotten fairly settled down for the year's work. The visitors will also see the improvements which have been made around the college in the past two years. It is expected that fully 100 men will be in the party.

Yesterday's Smallpox Record.

One death from smallpox and eight new cases were reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday. The death occurred at the Municipal hospital and was that of Lillie Frederick, aged 30 days, whose parents reside at No. 2149 Rose street. She had been ill of the disease 21 days. The new cases reported, all of which were removed to the hospital, were: Sheridan Rush, No. 2100 Penn avenue; James Brown, No. 4418 Sherman street; William Reardon, No. 121 Forty-sixth street; Victoria Rutkowski, No. 2724 Ridge street; Sylvester Miller, No. 4217 Mifflin street; E. P. Hart, No. 424 Beatty street; Albert Wallace, No. 3019 Penn avenue, and Mrs. Mattie Pinkard, No. 3208 Mulberry avenue.

Death Prevents Trip Home.

LATROBE, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Thomas Chenoratto was struck and killed by a train at Saxman's crossing this morning while attempting to cross the track. The man was making preparations to go to his home in Italy in the morning, where his wife and four children live. Accompanied by some of his relatives, he was on his way to buy a ticket for New York. His companions escaped.

IS SEARCHING FOR TWO WIVES

German Officer Seeking Helpmate for a Count and a Marquis.

BRIDES MUST BE AMERICAN

Matrimonial Agent Says His Clients Will Be Satisfied With Nothing but the Genuine Yankee Girl—Photographs of Young Men in His Possession.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Aug. 3.

It may not be explained in detailed public prints, but there are two splendid opportunities for two young American women of good social position and incidental wealth, or vice versa, it is not clear which at present, according to A. Vellert, who lives at No. 241 West Twenty-fourth street. They may become, respectively, either a countess of the German empire or a marquise of France, temporarily residing in Austria. But the young women themselves, or their accredited representatives, must see Mr. Vellert about it and get names and pedigrees.

Vellert, who lives in a pleasant home with his family, said tonight that he was a veteran of the German army and was adjutant in an organization of such in this city.

"I must not speak at present," he continued, shaking his head mysteriously. "There would be the greatest trouble. You see, the count belongs to a very old and noble family of Germany. He is young and handsome. He is in the army and has vast estates and a princely home. I could not, ah, no, I could not give to you his name. It would mean disgrace to him, and, who knows, to me.

"The marquis, he, too, is noble. But neither may I speak of him. His family left France and moved to Austria. He is in the Austrian army. He likewise would be disgraced. Both these noble, amiable young men have sought in vain for brides in their countries. There is nothing to compare there to the dash, the chic, the beauty of the American girl. They have set their hearts on American brides, and so, being busy at home, I have been commissioned."

Mr. Vellert had photographs of the marquis and the count. Both wear vandyke beards and are young. They are not in uniform.

FRANK A. PARKER.

WIFE-DESERTER WEDS HER ELOPING SISTER

Dover Druggist and Miss Packard Are Married After Three Years Romance.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

DOVER, DEL., Aug. 3.—Mrs. Nellie Wilkinson, divorced wife of Howard M. Wilkinson, the druggist and physician, whose elopement with her younger sister, Josephine, three years ago was the talk of the country, refused today to discuss the recent marriage of the pair.

Wilkinson and his first wife's sister, Miss Josephine Packard, were married in Kansas City on July 22, thereby culminating the romance which had its beginning before his first marriage. The ceremony was performed in the Central Methodist Episcopal church by the Rev. Charles Franklin. It was witnessed by A. L. Cooper, formerly of Delaware and now a Kansas City lawyer. The pair went on a short honeymoon trip.

When Mrs. Nellie Packard and her father, Elbert G. Packard, were seen tonight they were grieved by the news of the second marriage, particularly that it should revive the scandal of three years ago.

"Will there be any reconciliation?" Mr. Packard was asked.

"I do not care to answer that or any other question," he replied.

It was after their attachment for each other became an open secret in this city that Wilkinson and Miss Packard fled south at midnight, August 11, 1900. They were brought back and Wilkinson was held in bail for wife desertion. The Packard family forgave the girl, who was 19 years old, and asserted that Wilkinson had hypnotized her.

Mrs. Wilkinson refused to have anything further to do with her husband, but she absolved her sister from all blame.

It was three weeks later when Wilkinson went to Philadelphia, where his inamorata was staying, and they fled again.

Wilkinson went west and started in business in Kansas City. His wife got a divorce from him. She assumed her maiden name and continued to live with her parents here.

Some time ago Wilkinson declared that he still loved Josephine and would make her his wife. Neither has been east since their elopement, but friends heard from them occasionally.

BIG BULL SOON WRECKS BIG RED AUTOMOBILE

Occupants at First Laugh at Bellowing Animal, but Soon Change Demeanor.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Aug. 3.—With a country road on a hilltop for a ring, an automobile and a big bull engaged in battle near West Kortright and the brute walked off with the honors and a section of steering gear, instead of a laurel wreath.

Melvin Thomas and two friends were riding in the automobile, and were sighted by the bull, which was being led from a summit pasture by Frank Webley, a farmer, and its owner. The machine is painted red, and, when the bull espied the vehicle he lifted his head and bellowed with rage. The automobilists laughed and replied with a toot.

The farmer gripped the halter with both hands, dug his heels into the dirt and prepared for trouble. His efforts to hold the bull, which was lashing his tail, pawing the earth and shaking his horns in a frenzy of rage, were soon over. The chauffeur, to facilitate the sport, turned on power to the limit. Up the hill tore the automobile, and, just as it reached the crest, away tore the bull.

Out of a cloud of dust first emerged a kaleidoscopic sound—the beating of hoofs, a whirr, shouts, bellowing, and a crash. The automobile came last, and it was going on a tangent.

Struck head foremost by the bull, it was tossed into a ditch and the automobilists were pitched in a heap into a sandbank. They were bruised and terrified, but managed to scramble out of danger.

The bull thought he had tossed the machine into the next township, and started down the hill after it, with the shouting farmer a badly distanced second. The machine was out of commission, and Mr. Thomas and a friend sought the services of a physician, although not badly injured.

MUCH MORE TROUBLE

is experienced in using coal to cook than with natural gas. Coal is dirty and wasteful. Gas is not. The coal wasted in cooking would pay for gas to do the same work. If you apply this month at the office of the Philadelphia Company, 435 Sixth avenue, you can have service connections made and meter set free.

LIEUT. GENERAL NELSON A. MILES.

He May Be Chosen Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R. at the Coming Encampment at San Francisco.

ONE CARDINAL DYING; NO ELECTION OF POPE

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votes for either of the three cardinals named above, all of whom belong to the curia. It is unlikely, too, that either of the three will withdraw in favor of a provincial Italian cardinal, or for any other European.

Evidently the Gibbons-Kopp coalition has been effective in that it has so far prevented the selection of either of the cardinals who were regarded as most likely to receive the coveted honor when the conclave began. It is believed that an agreement must now be had on a provincial Italian, such as Sarto, or a foreigner, and in the latter event that Gibbons will be the choice of many. The longer the conclave lasts the more favorable Gibbons' chances become in popular estimation.

The precautions taken to prevent any communication between those in the conclave and the outside world extend to the closest scrutiny of provisions. Forty chickens, selected at random from 300 fowls, which have been sent into the conclave, were cut open and the remainder of the food was carefully examined, but nothing contraband was found.

A great quantity of provisions was introduced into the conclave today through the wicket gate. Three hundred chickens went, together with 500 newly-laid eggs, a quantity of ice, many litres of milk, salads and crates of fruit. These provisions were thoroughly examined before being allowed to pass through the wicket.

Letters and dispatches for the cardinals were sent in to the camerlengo, who does as he thinks best about delivering them. Some of the Catholic newspapers also passed the gate, but no non-clerical organs. The number of telegrams for Cardinals Herrera y Espinosa and Langenieux, who are ill, were so numerous that they made a large packet.

ELECTION OF FOREIGN POPE IS EXPECTED

The Rampolla and Vannutelli Factions Remain Compact.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROME, Aug. 3.—Out of all the rumors and gossip which is afloat concerning what is transpiring in the conclave, the most persistent report is to the effect that the Rampolla and Serafino Vannutelli factions have remained compact and that the attempt of one faction to press forward a new candidate in the hope of breaking the strength of the other had failed.

The Italia says that matters have reached a point which presages the possibility of electing a foreign pope, and that Cardinal Kopp, bishop of Breslau, who is most frequently mentioned in this connection, has the support of the German emperor. If this is true, the Italia interprets it as a move on the part of the Rampolla faction to win over the Austro-German cardinals from Serafino Vannutelli.

The Osservatore Romano, the organ of the vatican, officially announces that Cardinal Herrera y Espinosa, being gravely ill, has received the last communion. Mgr. Boniface Marin, the vicar general of his archdiocese (Valencia), was admitted to the conclave today, the door being opened for that purpose with all the prescribed precautions.

Outside were the governor and marshal of the conclave, assisted by captains of the guard. The apostolic prothonotaries and two sons of Prince Chigi acted as witnesses. Inside the door, when it was opened, were Mgr. Merry del Val, secretary of the consistorial congregation; Mgr. Roggi, prefect of ceremonies, and Mgr. Marzolini. The record of the admittance of Mgr. Marin was officially recorded in a formal document, which will be placed in the archives.

One of the daily sights at the vatican now is the arrival of the nun whom Cardinal Vaszary, prince-archbishop of Gran and primate of Hungary, brought with him from Hungary to acts as his cook. Cardinal Vaszary is the wealthiest of the cardinals and is reputed to have an income of $400,000 annually. He desired to have his cook enter the conclave, but the presence of women being forbidden by all the rules, he arranged to have her cook his dinner outside and bring it daily to the Sistine chapel. She comes in a cab escorted by two Hungarian soldiers in uniform.

It is reported that when Cardinal Sarto, patriarch of Venice, received the good wishes of his friends, he replied, smilingly: "Oh, no. I purchased a return ticket when I left Venice."

There are those who profess tonight to believe that a pope has already been elected, but that the fact is being kept secret. They recall that in August, 1740, Cardinal Lambertini, Benedict XIV., was elected pope in the evening, but that the conclave postponed the proclamation of his election until the next morning, keeping the fact of the election secret even from the conclavists.

In that occasion the head which was to wear the crown was uneasy. Cardinal Lampertini could not sleep and, his conclavist hearing him moving restlessly several times, inquired the cause of his nervousness. At last the cardinal no longer able to contain himself, shouted: "I am pope. Now can you sleep? Just try."

Mass for Pope Leo at Braddock.

A high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. Joseph's German Catholic church, Braddock, yesterday morning, for the repose of the soul of the late Pope Leo. The Rev. P. E. May, pastor of the congregation, was celebrant, assisted by the Rev. Paul Bonnevanto of Wilmerding, the Rev. William Cunningham of Turtle Creek, the Rev. Joseph Burgoon and the Rev. Albert Cazinski of Braddock. The Rev. Dennis Flynn of St. Mary's college, Emmettsburg, Md., delivered the sermon.

HOT FIGHT WITH BEES AT THE TOP OF A POLE

Linemen, Repulsed by the Insects, Finally Overcome Them by Use of Sulphur.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—John Leonard, a lineman in the employ of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, with several fellow-workmen, had a lively time with a swarm of bees that had made its home in a box at the top of a pole in Franklin street.

Leonard and the others tried to get rid of the nest, but the bees repulsed the attack and drove their disturbers away. Leonard almost fell from the pole in his haste to get away.

The men held a council of war at a safe distance from the poles. Persons residing in the neighborhood in the meantime closed their windows and sought points of safety while the bees were in fighting mood.

The linemen secured reinforcements, and after placing cloths about their hands and faces climbed the pole and, with the aid of sulphur, ended the battle.

THIS BOOK AGENT BOLD.

It Was Woman, and She Holds a Man Up in a Tree.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 3.—Benjamin F. Rogers, the jeweler, has had an experience with a woman book canvasser which he will not soon forget.

He was at his farm on the Grand boulevard, near Evelyn avenue, and had climbed into a peach tree to gather some of the fruit. While in the tree he was approached by a woman carrying an armful of books, and was informed by her that he now had the chance of his life if he cared to possess himself of certain invaluable volumes. Because he was not disposed to descend from the high perch in double-quick time the woman used uncomplimentary language. Mr. Rogers invited her off the premises, and then came the trouble. The woman would not leave and challenged him to force her.

Mr. Rogers is not a man inclined to take water when there is a chance to prove his bravery, and, after viewing the situation, he began to descend. When about half-way down he lost his hold and fell prostrate at the feet of his female antagonist, who, knowing how to take advantage of an opportunity, sat down upon him and beat a tattoo upon his head and back with her fists.

LEFT HER BABY WITH FATHER AND VANISHED

Woman Said She Was Sorry to Part With Infant, but Was Unable to Support It.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—A young woman who says she is the wife of Eugene Minet, Jr., of No. 438 Main street, Paterson, N. J., arrived in that city from Hartford, Conn., to leave her 6-months-old baby with its alleged father.

She told the police that she and Minet met in a silk mill in Hartford and that Minet had subsquently married her. She said when her husband left Hartford and went to Paterson to live he told her to remain in Hartford until the child was born and promised that he would then send for her and furnish a home in Paterson.

She said she had sent many letters to an address given her by her husband, but had received no reply.

The police helped her to find Minet and she elbowed her way into the house when the door was opened and dropped the baby on a couch. She afterward went to the Erie station, where she took a train for New York. Before leaving she said she was sorry she had to leave the baby, but that she was unable to support it.

MURDERER CREMATED VICTIM AND HIMSELF

RENNSELAER, IND., Aug. 3.—Charles M. Medworth, a farmer living near Mount Ayr, was murdered this afternoon by his farm employe, known only as John. The murderer set fire to the house, and the bodies of both were found in the ruins. The man had worked for Medworth for three years and had always refused to give his name. They had quarreled over a settlement.

Asks $300 for Dead Horse.

UNIONTOWN, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—An interesting suit for damages has been brought here. John T. Darby asks $300 for the loss of his horse. The horse was standing in the street when a runaway team of mules came along, the tongue of the wagin drawn by the mules being driven into the side of Darby's horse and tearing out the animal's heart.

Price of Tobies Advanced.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Uniontown toby rollers have sent out notices that after this week the price of tobies will be advanced, the increase in wages of the rollers and the higher prices of the fillers leaf and wrappers making this necessary. Popular brands, which have been four for five cents, will now be three for five cents.

ITALY SEEKS A FRIENDLY POPE

Anxious for Power That Would Emanate from Compact With Their King.

OTHER NATIONS ARE OPPOSED

Formal Agreement Between Vatican and Quarinial is Unlikely, but a Better Understanding is Probable—Conclave Telling on the Cardinals.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
(From a Staff Correspondent.)

ROME, Aug. 3.—Marchesa Di Rudini, wife of the former premier of Italy and cousin of the king, said to your correspondent today:

"I can see from the vast crowds of all classes assembled in the piazza of San Petro how anxious the Italians are to know what kind of a pope they will have. They come every day. Fifty thousand assembled last night, expecting to receive the new pope's blessing. Among them were patricians, princes, princesses, senators and deputies. The masses of Italy want to have a pope who will be a friendly pope. If the pope and king came together the power of Italy would be enormous. Other nations, however, do not want this, because it would make us so strong. We wish to see all people, including those closely bound to the vatican, taking part in the public life of the nation. We would like to see the cardinals going to the polls and setting the masses an example in civic ethics. It is said that Peter's pence is dwindling.

"I believe if the vatican and the quirinal get closer together America would increase them. The United States likes to promote goodwill among men. A formal agreement of harmony between the vatican and quirinal is unlikely, but a better understanding is probable. There is no bitterness now between the Roman whites and blacks. Why should there be? All are Italians and not only all are Catholics. The election of Vanutelli, who is a scholar and a gentleman, would be hailed with delight. He dined with us today, and though he does not agree with our politics, there is no reason why we should be estranged. I want to go to the vatican as do most Italian gentlewomen, and I want to see the ladies of Queen Margherita's court awaiting the new pope's blessing. There is an expression of our desire for harmony for you. The Romans, whites and blacks, want harmony. I hope the new pope will appear on the balcony and proclaim the blessing of "Urbie et osgi" as of old. Then we can obey the pope and bow to united Italy together."

The sixth ineffective ballot has gone up in smoke. Illness is rapidly diminishing the number of cardinals capable of voting direct. Many are ill already and others are showing signs of succumbing. Herrera has received the last sacraments and is believed to be dying. Others are so ill they have to registere their votes through the infirmaries. Many cardinals are prostrated by the heat and strain. If the conclave continues many days the sistine will resemble a hospital.

The Spanish ambassador called at the vatican this morning and in the presence of Prince Chigi delivered the king's message to Cardinal Vives y Tuto and reported the king fears a pope favoring the Carlists. Cardinal Kopp caused surprise by sending a reply to the message which read:

"A friend wishes to have news of your eminence's health."

The reply was sent through Monsignor Montett, a close friend to the kaiser. It is believed to be a message for the kaiser regarding the tendency of the conclave.

I am informed that Cardinal Gibbons is suffering from a severe attack of malaria and is quite ill. Numerous letters and telegrams for him reached the conclave gate today, but the custodians there detained all the correspondence.

J. J. CONWAY.

MEXICAN COMMISSION FAVORS GOLD STANDARD

Probability That a Change in Monetary System Will Be Recommended.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 3.—The third subcommittee on the monetary conference has adopted the report made by Ricardo Garcia Grandos, which, after citing figures regarding the world's present stock of gold, says these figures demonstrate to the point of evidence that gold is at present nominally "not scarce;" but tends to predominate absolutely as the sole standard and measure of values, silver being relegated to a secondary and subsidiary role as a token of coinage. The report continues:

"Our commerce is carried on at present almost exclusively with gold standard countries, and if we seek to avoid or mitigate a monetary and mercantile crisis, it is imperative that we introduce a monetary reform that will give stability to our currency."

The adoption of this report by the commission is taken to indicate that a gold standard is likely to be recommended in a modified form by the entire monetary commission, which met today for the first time in full session.

Death of John H. Roberts.

John H. Roberts, aged 58 years, died last night at 9:15 o'clock at his late residence, No. 7 Oakland square. He was born in Montreal, Canada, and came to Pittsburgh when but 8 years old. He had been a resident of this city ever since. When very young he enlisted in the army, being assigned to Battery C, First battalion, Pennsylvania volunteer light artillery. He served his time along the Potomac river. Returning from war, he accepted a position with the George A. Kelly Drug Company, with which firm he continued until four years ago, when ill health compelled him to retire. From working as an assistant shipper, he was promoted until he had full charge of the firm's shipping interests. He was a member of the Industry council No. 25, A. O. U. M., and for a number of years was recording secretary. He was also a member of Twin City council, I. O. O. F., and the Odd Fellows encampment. Besides his widow, he is survived by three children, James, Miss Laura M. and John R. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

Brokerage Company Fails.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed in the United States court today against the Merchants Brokerage and Commission Company, asking that a trustee be appointed to take charge of the company's affairs. This is the concern against which an attachment suit was brought Friday, the federal authorities taking charge of its affairs at that time. Among the creditors instituting bankruptcy proceedings is Louis Schrader of Wheeling, W. Va.

Insect's Bite Probably Fatal.

YORK, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Walter Weigle, 20 years old, the son of Henry Weigle, a bottler, is in a critical condition as the result of the bite of an insect, presumably a spider or a kissing bug, during his sleep. His lower jay and throat are badly swollen.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 3.

Back from a six weeks' vacation in Europe, Mr. George H. Wilson, who arrived on the Moltke, was in New York today en route for his home in Pittsburgh.

"I went over for rest rather than business," said the manager of the Pittsburgh orchestra and the director of grand opera in the west. "And I did little else than to carry out that intention. Still I attended to some musical matters, such as arranging in London with Otto Gorlitz for Richard Strauss to conduct two of our Pittsburgh orchestra concerts in March next.

"While abroad I was asked by—well, never mind who, but some one who knew that I managed the western tours of the Maurice Grau Opera Company—whether I would take the direction of an operatic tour of America this season by M. Jean de Reszke. The matter was placed before me thus: Mr. De Reszke is desirious of reappearing in America, but negotiations between him and Mr. Conreid have come to nothing.

"The scheme presented to me was to have M. De Reszke come over with a special company, at the head of which he would be, and go through the country. The company would be, as planned, an ample one, but on no such scale as that which New York is accustomed to at the Metropolitan and which I took through the west. There was an alternative—that possibly it might be merely a concert tour.

"I declined the proposition. It did not appeal to me financially or artistically. By that I mean that neither the west nor east will now accept grand opera except on really grand lines. Though the Wagnerian music dreams were not contemplated—such operas as "Romeo and Juliet" were in mind—the scheme would not be up to the artistic standard nowadays necessary; hence, artistically it would be lacking and financially not promising.

"By the way, I saw Mr. Grau. He is looking very well, is for the first time in years taking life easy and getting back his health near Paris."

FRANK A. PARKER.

BRIDE RAN AWAY AT RAILROAD STATION

Believing That She Would Be Unhappy, She Disappeared from Wedding Party.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—Because she believed she would be unhappy as the wife of Leonard G. Sargent of Indianapolis, pretty Dolly Douglass of this city disappeared from her own wedding party, and for 18 hours there was no trace of her. A letter to her mother disclosed the young woman's secret doubt.

Miss Douglass deserted her mother and sister and her fiance's aunt at Union station here, while they were awaiting the train that was to take her to Indianapolis to become the bride of Sargent.

In the letter to her mother, the girl declared that she did not love "L." (Leonard), and that if she married him she knew she would be unhappy. She said she did not want her mother to have to take care of her, and, therefore, she would take care of herself.

She gave no address, and no statement as to where she was staying, but inclosed an envelope addressed to herself at 4427A Easton avenue. This is where her parents live, and her mother does not understand why she should give that address.

Miss Douglass' parents declare that there was no reason for their daughter's sudden action. They insist that they made no attempt to coerce her, and that she had never given any indication of desiring to break the engagement.

Sargent thought his sweetheart missed the train because of trouble concerning her baggage, the excuse she gave to her companions when she left them. He telegraphed three times to Miss Douglass, saying that new arrangements would be made, and that she should come on the next train.

Sargent had made extensive arrangements for the wedding. He had handsomely furnished a home for himself and bride, and the wedding was to be the housewarming. His guests were assembled for the marriage, which was to take place at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, shortly after the bride was expected to arrive.

Carbon County Ticket.

MAUCH CHUNK, PA., Aug. 3.—The Republican convention of Carbon county was held here today. The following ticket was nominated: Prothonotary, James E. James of Lansford; clerk of courts, W. J. Zerbey of Mauch Chunk; sheriff, J. H. Rothermel of Franklin; jury commissioner, John M. Aubrey, Summit Hill.

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M'TIGHE'S POLICE ARE IN TROUBLE

Lieut. Grimes ad Officer Scanlon Arrested for Assaulting Man in His Own Home.

DAMAGE SUIT TO FOLLOW

Point Citizen of Good Reputation Is Roughly Handled While Endeavoring to Defend His Home and His Family.

While attempting to defend his own house against a gang of Police Superintendent McTighe's raiders, Thomas Conners and members of his family were roughly handled Sunday morning. They were finally arrested, charged with visiting a disorderly house, and yesterday Police Magistrate T. D. Stewart fined them.

Conners has since had Lieut. Charles Grimes and Officer Timothy Scanlon arrested for assault and battery. This will be followed by a suit for damages. Supt. McTighe says that he does not know much about the case, and any way that he is not responsible for the action of his officers.

According to the testimony of his neighbor, Conners has been sorely persecuted by the police bureau. On the first floor of the house at No. 23 Penn avenue, lives Margaret Conners. Above her in separate apartments lives her brother-in-law, Thomas Conners. His home is reached by a stairway in the rear, and has no connection with the home of his sister-in-law.

Toole Tells the Story.

Alderman S. J. Toole lives about a square from the Conners home. Last night he told this story of the case:

"About six weeks ago the police decided that Mrs. Conners was selling liquor. Her house was visited and she was absent. It was ransacked from one end to the other and no evidence found. Then the police went around to the rear and entered the home of Thomas Conners, on the second floor. The only inmate was his little daughter, who is a sufferer from heart trouble. She was badly frightened and fled from the house. When the officers had gone she returned to find that a purse containing $10.85 when she left contained but 85 cents. Her father later went to Police Inspector Barney McStay, and complained about the action of the police and demanded his $10. McStay said he would see about it, but Conners has never gotten his money.

"Last Sunday morning I was seated in my home and heard a child shrieking. I thought murder was being committed, and rushed to the scene. I found the cries came from the little Conners girl, who was hysterical from fright. Another visit had been paid to Margaret Conners' home by the police.

Conners Defended Home.

"Not finding the woman at home, Lieut. Charles Grimes, Officer Timothy Scanlon and the other officers had gone up the outside stairs to the residence of Thomas Conners. The owner of the house was there. With him was Peter, his 14-year-old son, John Conners, a nephew, and Thomas Burke, a companion of the nephew. When Grimes tried to enter the elder Conners endeavored to protect his house. He was hit in the face by Grimes and retaliated. Then Scanlon broke a mace over Conners' head. The son hit Scanlon. One of the officers placed a revolver to the head of the owner of the house.

"The man and three boys were sent to central station. To add to the outrage a charge of 'visiting a disorderly house' was made against them. They were released on bail. This morning at the hearing Magistrate Stewart upheld the police in their attack upon Conners. He fined them all, with the exception of the son. There was no evidence to show that the house was a speakeasy. I have asked for transcripts of the cases and suits for damages will be entered. Conners has since made information before me charging Grimes and Scanlon with assault and battery. They gave bail for court. Conners has lived at the Point for about 30 years and has always borne a good character. Even Inspector McStay admits that Conners is a man of good character."

Conners' Own Story.

Mr. Conners last night made this statement:

"I was inside the house with a friend, my children and a nephew. Grimes with his officers pushed open the door, which unlocked and tried to enter. He said my home was a speakeasy. Mindful of my experience of several weeks ago, when my home was raided and my delicate daughter badly frightened, I determined that they should not enter.

"In reply to my saying that he had no right in my home, Grimes struck me in the face. I caught hold of the lieutenant's arm and Policeman Scanlon knocked me down with a blow from his mace. My son, Peter, took a hand in the quarrel, and he was struck by a blackjack. It all ended in our arrest.

"After we were fined yesterday morning, and the fines paid, I saw Magistrate Stewart and explained to him the circumstances. He agreed to reduce the fines, which he did. I will sue for damages. About two weeks ago, my home was entered by officers who claimed it was a speakeasy. There was no liquor in the house. After they had gone it was discovered that a pocketbook which had contained a $10 bill was missing. It has not been returned."

WEDDED YOUNG BRIDE.

Father-in-Law of Millionaire DeBois Marries an 18 Year-Old Girl.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—James Gambell, 58 years old, a widower and reputed to be one of DuBois, Pa., wealthiest lumber and mining citizens, was quietly married to Miss Jeannette Hynd, 18 years old, the daughter of the Rev. Dr. Hynd, a Baptist clergyman of this city. The marriage was solemnized at the pastorate of the Rev. Dr. Grimshaw of the South Baptist church of this city last night.

Gamble is the father-in-law of Millionaire DuBois of that city. The marriage of the couple is the result of a short courtship. Mr. Gambell, who is youthful in appearance and has been prominently identified with missionary work in the south, largely conducted by the Rev. Dr. Hynd. He has also published several missionary tracts and is extensively known in those circles. The couple left Buffalo last night for a three months' European trip. They will reside at DuBois.

Girl's Assailant Captured.

INDIANA, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Elmer Cruikshank, who assaulted 14-year-old Margaret Telford last Friday and escaped from the officers after a hard chase, was arrested by the police in Kittanning last night, after a hard fight, during which he is said to have wounded one of the policemen severely.

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QUININE PILLS AND COLD SODA

Wilkinsburg Druggist Devise a Curious Combination to Envade Blue Laws.

PAY ONLY FOR THE MEDICINE

Warrants Served on a Number of Persons Charged With Working on Sunday—Church Committee Changes Its Magistrate.

A quinine pill for 10 cents and a glass of ice cream soda on the side probably will be advertised by Wilkinsburg druggists next Sunday in order to evade prosecution for violating the blue laws. The Sabbath crusade goes on in the big suburb and every ruse will be tried by both factions in order to catch their opponents napping.

In August few people suffer from chills and everybody who invests in a quinine pill will be ready to accept a cooling beverage as a chromo. This is the view some of the druggists take of the situation, and the suggestion was freely made that the sale of the pills could be easily arranged to suit the strained situation. Whether this suggestion is followed depends upon the result of the suits which are now pending.

Yesterday warrants were served on the officers and employes of the Penn Ice Company to the number of 10. The Rev. C. W. Smith, editor of the Christian Advocate, is a director in the company. He was among the first against whom informations were made by the committee of five, which is making the retaliatory fight for the druggists. Today and tomorrow the work of serving the warrants will go on.

Changed Their Magistrate.

The church committee of 12 yesterday morning made informations against W. L. Smith, S. W. Covell, W. S. Stout and J. C. Pauly, the four druggists who sold soda water on last Sunday. The charges have been made before Alderman E. C. Negley of the Twentieth ward, and no time has been fixed for a hearing, but certain it is that the Sabbath observance party expects to get a conviction from the Pittsburgh alderman, whereas Burgess Keys of Wilkinsburg had refused to consider the cases because of a previous information before Justice J. J. Walker.

The druggists' committee of five adopted the old ruse this week by having informations made against themselves at 6 seconds after 12 o'clock on Monday morning (United States observatory time), but it is believed that Alderman Negley will take a different view of the law and will not exonerate the defendants when they show that they have been convicted by Justice Walker.

Constable H. W. McKalip of Justice Walker's office, was the busiest man in Wilkinsburgh yesterday. Armed with half a score of warrants, he started at sunrise to find the officers and empolyes of the Penn Ice Company. There was no excitement.

Did Not Require Bail.

No bail was asked, and the promise from each defendant to be represented at the office for the hearing at 9 o'clock on Thursday morning was all that was exacted from them. The following are the defendants who are alleged to have broken the Sabbath by making ice on that day: L. Savo, fireman; John L. Hoffman, director; James A. Wilson, treasurer; R. A. Balph, secretary; R. O. Miller, managter; the Rev. C. W. Smith, director; J. L. Linton, fireman; John Marsh, engineer; E. V. Kreiger, engineer; L. H. Kumpie, fireman.

In case Justice Walker convicts the defendants the cases will be appealed to court, or the hearing may be waived. It is asserted that the interpretation of the law is clear, and that no case can be made against any person connected with the manufacture of ice on Sunday. The warrants for the arrest of the choir singers will be drawn up today and will be ready for service tomorrow. The text of the information against Miss Carolyn Schroth is unique and reads like this:

Indictment Is Unique.

The said day being Sunday, the above-named defendant did perform worldly employment, the same not being work of necessity or charity, and the deponent specifies the particular act done as follows: By being employed and receiving pay as a singer in the choir in the First Presbyterian church in the borough of Wilkinsburg, this being contrary to the act of assembly of April 22, 1794, and of April 26, 1855.

It was reported last night that informations would be made against the Pennsylvania railroad ticket agent at Wilkinsburg station, as well as all the baggagemen and ward employes. Hereafter owners of automobiles employing chauffeurs will be arrested when they enter the forbidden bailiwick on Sunday and their arrest will be promptly follow.

The committee representing the church people will meet Friday evening in the First Presbyterian church to consider their future action. Some of the committee are away for the summer, but those remaining are enthusiastically in favor of continuing the crusade against Sunday selling.

Another interesting phase of the question turned up last night when Constable Henry McKalip of Justice Walker's office announced that he was going away on Friday to be gone three weeks. He said he did not expect to get all the warrants served before he left, and declared he did not know who would do the work while he was away. There yet remains about 50 warrants to serve against parties other than the druggists who are charged with violating the Sunday laws.

BROTHER AND SISTER WEDDED WITHIN A DAY

Church Rule Prevents Simultaneous Marriage—Two Grooms and One Bride Come to Pittsburgh for the Ceremony.

If it were not for the regulations of the Roman Catholic diocese of Pittsburgh, which require that marriages must be solemnized in the parish of one of the contracting parties, there would be a double wedding in the Dauenheimer, Sell and Dippold families. Because of the regulations the two weddings that are to be celebrated this week will be 24 hours apart, but on Saturday evening the high contracting parties will all go to their homes in Marion, Ind.

The marriage list yesterday contained the information that August J. Sell and Matilda A. Dauenhauer, of Pittsburgh, and John J. Dauenhauer, of Marion, Ind., and Catherine C. Dippold, of Pittsburgh, were to be married. The directory gives the names of six Dauenhauer families, all living in Arlington avenue, but none of these knew anything of the two Dauenhauers who were to be married, and investigation showed that in reality all the parties to be married, except Miss Dippold, are from Marion, Ind.

At 8 a. m. tomorrow John J. Dauenhauer, brother of Miss Matilda, will be married to Miss Catherine C. Dippold of Lincoln avenue, at SS. Peter and Paul's church, East End.

On Thursday, at 8 a. m., in St. Michael's church, South Side, August J. Sell, the son of Joseph Sell, the South Thirteenth street grocer, will be married to Miss Matilda Dauenhauer.

Both weddings will be attended by Mrs. Dauenhauer, John and Matilda's mother, and their sister, who have come from Marion to see John and Matilda married.

The Dauenhauers formerly lived in Pittsburgh, but moved to Marion 10 years ago. At the same time August J. Sell went to Marion to work as a glassblower. By right, therefore, he and Miss Dauenhauer should have been married in Marion, but as John had to come to Pittsburgh to be married, and Mr. Sell's parents live here, Sell and his bride-to-be came to Pittsburgh, too. As St. Michael's was their former parish, and is the present parish of Sell's parents, the regulations of the church permit of his marriage at the parish church.

COUNTERFEITER HELD.

Italian Thought He Was Making Spurious Coins for Collectors.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Dominico Li Gorise was arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields in the federal building today by Chief Flynn of the secret service, charged with counterfeiting. A complete plant was found in the prisoner's possession, including molds for dimes, quarters, half dollars and dollars. Guisippe Grigo, a countryman, explained that Dominico had brought the outfit to his rooms and he taught him the art of making spurious coins.

"Quiseppi told me," te prisoner pleaded, "that the coins were to be sold to collectors and were not intended for circulation. I wouldn't have had anything to do with the scheme if I had known it was wrong or illegal." Commissioner Shields held the man in $5,000 bail.

STEEL PASSENGER CAR.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company Making Experiment for New York Underground Line.

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The Pennsylvania Railroad is building at its local shop an entire steel passenger car for use on its underground system in New York. The car is an experiment, but there is every reason to believe that it will be a success. It is 50 feet long, with a vestibule but no steps, since the platform of the vestibule will be the same height as the platform of the tsation.

The only wood about the car is in the rattan seats. The car is so built that it can be used, not only on the Pennsylvania underground system, but all other systems in New York. It will be heated with steam and equipped with airbrakes and electric light.

DULL TIME INDEED.

Reporter Tells Bishop Goodsell What He Missed by Being Religious.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Aug. 3.—(Specoal.)—Bishop David W. Goodsell of the Methodist church, who is spending a few weeks at Short Beach, has just returned from San Francisco. He relates that one day there while on his way to dedicate a church a newspaperman stopped him and asked: "Has it ever occurred to you, bishop, how much you have lost being religious?"

The astonished clergyman replied that he had not been a loser. The reporter persisted: "Have you ever played cards? Do you frequent theaters? Are you fond of the opera?" To all of which the bishop replied negatively.

The questioner further said: "Then you have never been drunk. You have indeed had a dull time."

MARRIED AT LAST DESPITE ACCIDENTS

A series of accidents compelled Frank Ernest and Julia Siemer of Homestead to postpone their wedding nearly a dozen times. May 11 they secured a marriage license and were to have been married the next day. Ernest was the victim of all the accidents. Yesterday the couple went to the office of Justice George W. Giles and the date of the marriage license was May 15. Ernest explained that he had been injured nearly a dozen times while at work in the Homestead Steel works, and each time he was compelled to postpone the ceremony. Justice Giles married them.

ITALIANS CAUSED A RIOT AT UNION STATION

Departure of a Crowd for Italy Made Lively Work for the Police.

Excitement closely approaching that of a panic was occasioned at Union station about 7 o'clock last night by the arrest of an Italian for disorderly conduct. Some 80 of his countrymen, some of whom were to take the 7:05 o'clock train for New York, joined in an attack on police officers, and five of their number were arrested. All of them missed their train.

About 50 of the Italians were on their way to New York, en route to Italy. Friends and relatives went to Union station to see them off. Those who were not going on the train endeavored to get past the gates to see the last of their friends. The gatemen and officers had considerable trouble in keeping them from going through.

One Italian, Alexander Heide of Basin alley, was very persistent, and tried to force his way through. He was stopped by the gateman and a short scuffle ensued. Station Officer Richard Hennessey was called and Heide was placed under arrest. As soon as the man was arrested all his friends, including those who were going on the train, rushed after the officer as the man was led off.

Hennessey was quickly surrounded, and in loud tones the Italians in the party demanded Heide's release. Great crowds were attracted to the scene, and about 200 persons followed Hennessey as he dragged Heide down in the basement to the police call box.

As they reached the steps leading to the basement Hennessey was attacked by several of the leaders of the mob. Station Officer Thomas Gamble, an assistant station master, two ushers and a gateman rushed to the officer's rescue. Hennessey fought his way with the prisoner to the call box.

When the patrol wagon came the mob was still threatening Hennessey's life, so he arrested four who were the leaders of the fight. At Central station, they gave their names as Frank Simon of Grant street, Samuel Passner of Washington street, Michael Mashey of Bedford avenue and Joseph Yarick.

Meanwhile the train that was to have taken the Italians to New York had departed, and the entire party had to wait in Union station until the 9 o'clock train left.

IRISH LANDLORDS OBJECT.

They Fear Land Bill Would Destroy Their Rich Hunting Preserves.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The duke of Devonshire moved the second reading of the Irish land bill in the house of lords today. He used the same arguments in favor of the necessity for passing the measure as were previously uttered by George Wyndham, the Irish secretary in the house of commons.

He declared the expenditure of the $60,000,000, provided in the bill, would be fully compensated for by economies in the judicial machinery and the reduction in the police expenses, which the adoption of the measure would render possible.

The duke of Abercorn, Conservative, said the representatives of the landlords would offer some amendments. He declared that nothing would compensate the landlords for the losses they would have to sustain. If their sporting rights were lost and their property sold there would be no inducement for the country gentlemen to remain in Ireland.

Jealousy and a Broken Ring.

James Welsh of Fifty-fourth street was arrested yesterday on a charge of larceny, made by Blanche Flickinger, of No. 5430 Kent alley. She says he took a highly prized ring from her finger on June 16 last. Welsh stated that the young woman was jealous of him and he had pulled the ring from her finger with no intention of keeping it, but had broken it in doing so and was waiting to have it repaired.

A CONVENTION OF ABSTAINERS

Catholics Teetotlers from All Over the United States Will Meet Here Today.

A MASS BY BISHOP CANEVIN

It Will Usher in the Proceedings of the Gathering—Duquesne Theater Will Be the Scene of the Sessions—Two Contests.

A solemn pontifical high mass, celebraded by the Rt. Rev. J. F. Regis Canevin, will usher in the 33d annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union today. Bishop Phelan had intended to celebrate the mass, but on account of his illness Bishop Canevin will take his place. Immediately after the mass the convention will be called to order in the Duquesne theater, at 11 a. m.

Delegates and visitors to the convention began to arrive last night. Many more are expected this morning, and it is thought that by tonight the hotels will be crowded with delegates from all parts of the United States.

Among the prominent men who arrived yesterday was Father Edward McSweeny of Mt. St. Mary's college, Emmittsburg, Md. Father McSweeny is writing a history of the Catholic Total Abstinence union. Father Walter F. Shanley, president of the national union, got in from Hartford, Conn., at 6 p. m. His headquarters are at the Hotel Henry. Father Shanley will preside at a meeting of the historical society of the union at 11 a. m., at the Hotel Henry. With Father Shanley were Edwin Mulready of Boston, president of the archdiocesan union of Boston; Maurice Dineen, president of the diocesan union of Malden, Mass., and a number of delegates from the Boston, Springfield, West Stockbridge and Morcester (Mass.) unions. The delegation from Providence, R. I., Philadelphia, New York and St. Paul are expected today. Each delegation will be met at the railroad stations by committees of the local union, which will escort them to their abiding places. The Knights of Father Mathew and the Father Mathew Cadets are expected to arrive from St. Louis this afternoon. A reception to the national officers and delegates will be held at the Hotel Henry tonight.

The delegations in the city will gather at the Duquesne theater at 8:30 a. m. and will march, headed by a band, to the Church of the Epiphany in Washington street, to attend the pontifical mass. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Father William Kittell. After mass the convention will assemble in the Duquesne theater for the first business session.

The selection of the city that is to entertain the next convention will cause quite a contest. St. Louis, Chicago and Hartford, Conn., will strive for the honor, but many delegates are said to favor an eastern city, as Milwaukee entertained the convention last year. Edwin Mulready of Boston is a candidate for national secretary against J. Washington Logue of Philadelphia, the incumbent.

Thrown from Moving Car.

George Fink, aged 25 years, of Jacks run, Allegheny, was badly injured last night while trying to board a moving car at Beaver avenue and Franklin street. Fink was thrown to the curb and rendered unconscious. He was removed to St. John's General hospital, suffering with several severe scalp wounds.

McKeesport Man Tired of life.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Gottleib Blasco of McKeesport, who came here to work for John Keifer, also of McKeesport, made a desperate attempt to end his life by drowning in the Ohio river above this city this afternoon. He had been drinking. He was dragged ashore.

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Building Trades' Council Members Patiently Awaiting Developments.

ABOUT 12,000 MEN ARE IDLE

Many More May Be Affected—Builders' Exchange League Denies the Report That It Is Trying to Disrupt the Workmen's Organization.

No effort was made yesterday by the Building Trades council or the Builders' Exchange league toward effecting a settlement of the dispute which resulted in the men throwing down their tools. The council demands that the contractors resume all work in the city and that the league sign an agreement stipulating its willingness to arbitrate before the men will be permitted to return to work on any jobs of the A. & S. Wilson Company. Each side claims it is willing to arbitrate, but neither has made the necessary arrangements to that end.

About 12,000 men are idle and more will be unable to continue work if the trouble is not soon adjusted. There are some crafts not affected by the dispute, among them the bricklayers, plasterers, painters, structural iron workers and carpenters. These will be idle if the other crafts do not soon return to work.

It was given out at the Building Trades council hall yesterday that several contractors refused to obey the order of the league, instructing them to call out their men. Some plasterers working for contractors of the league were removed to work being done by contractors who are not members.

Work on the following downtown buildings has been entirely suspended: The Horne building, the Bessemer building, the Victoria hotel, the Grand Opera house and several small buildings. Work is going on in full at the Nixon theater, where the George A. Fuller Company has the contract. The only other large contract held by the Fuller Company is the Wabash station. There the work is being delayed by failure to get steel structural iron. The foundations have been completed and work is waiting on the material for the superstructure.

The Tin Workers' association will meet this morning in the Moorhead hall. The stone masons will hold a mass meeting this afternoon in Arnfeld's hall, No. 1119 Penn avenue, and the Builders' Exchange league will meet tonight. There is no indication that any of the meetings will have any effect in bringing about a settlement.

E. J. Deitrich, secretary of the Builders' Exchange league, gave out the following statement last night:

I wish to take exceptions to the report that the Builders' Exchange league believes it will be able to disrupt and disorganize the Building Trades' council. There is no disposition on the part of the league to do anything of the kind, but the object is to protect workmen, as well as the employer, against the unjust and unreasonable demands of certain elements of labor unions and to compel, if necessary, a peaceable and just settlement of labor disputes in the interest of all parties concerned. I believe the more reasonable and fair element of union men will support the league in this position, and we invite them to co-operate with us to this end.

NO DISTURBANCE.

Port Vue Strike Is Considered to Be a Matter of History Only.

The Port Vue strike situation has quieted greatly since the disturbance on the streets Friday. Yesterday, when the first turn of the new week went to work the roads leading to the plant were heavily guarded by police. No chances were taken by either side, and the strikers were not out in numbers. The day turn that came off at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, was also well guarded.

Supt. J. F. Lauck reported that eight mills were running and he expected to start 10 today. A number of the old employes reported for work yesterday morning and the strike trouble is expected to wholly disappear this week.

At their hearing D. C. King and Elmer Doliff, who did the shooting last Friday in Walnut street, were committed to jail for a court trial.

RUMORS ABOUT CLARK.

County Commissioner Credited With Being Here and in Denver at the Same Time.

Conflicting stories were told yesterday about the whereabouts of County Commissioner James A. Clark, who has the authority to name the Democratic fusion committee. He was supposed to be in Pittsburgh and Denver at the same time.

District Attorney John C. Haymaker reached home from Denver yesterday morning. He said he had left Clark there and that he would not reach Pittsburgh before tomorrow night or Thursday morning. Haymaker brought this information to the commissioner's office, together with a request from Clark that Commissioner Mercer look after an important business matter for him today.

W. J. Brennen last night said that he had been informed that Clark was in the city, but had not seen him. Col. J. M. Guffey said he had no knowledge of Clark's presence in Pittsburgh. T. S. Bigelow said during the day that he had not seen Clark.

FIVE HORSES CREMATED.

Sankey Bros.' Stable in Lawrenceville Destroyed by Fire Last Night.

Between 6 and 7 o'clock last evening fire destroyed the stable connected with Sankey Bros.' brick works, at Thirty-seventh street and Liberty avenue, and five horses were cremated in the blaze. The loss is about $2,000. The blaze was first seen by the watchman after the plant had been shut down for the day. He sounded an alarm and got two horses out of the burning building, but the fire progressed so rapidly that it was impossible to save the others and they perished. Nothing is known as to the origin of the fire.

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If the trip is to be to the seashore, there is nothing nicer to have along with you than a bathing suit. We have sold more bathing suits this season than ever before. Both men and women are coming to think that it is best to own their suits outright instead of having to depend upon bathhouses. Every style of bathing suits for both men and women, boys and girls.

Women's Bathing Suits—

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City Chairman Max Leslie believes all Republicans will get together in the coming campaign, despite the failures of the recent harmony conferences. It may be possible. The Republican party is maintaining the open door, so that whoever will may enter and take equal part in the primaries. The reorganized party has no arbitrary lines, and its candidates will be the nominees of all who decide to participate in naming them. There is always an opportunity for all Republicans to get together on that platform, without dictation from any bosses whatever.

Some progress is being made by the American monetary commission sent by the United States and Mexico to secure an agreement upon the coinage ratio of gold and silver. The commission will soon go to St. Petersburg. Germany and England have agreed to the ratio of 32 to 1, while France prefers 31 to 1. The difference there is not great enough to cause any irreconcilable conflict. It is a good way from Mr. Bryan's sacred ratio of 16 to 1, but it is commercially reasonable and likely to afford a sufficiently stable basis for exchange between the silver using and the gold standard countries.

The deadlock in the building trades is on and neither side is making any effort to break it. There is a serious mistake out somewhere. There is no sufficient reason why thousands of men should remain idle for weeks and all building operations be stopped. The situation presents no features prohibitive of conciliation, arbitration or compromise, except the stubborn disposition of the parties to it. So far as they are concerned it is their own business, but it is worth while remembering the public has some interest in the matter, too. We think if the Builders' exchange and the Trades council take up that interest for consideration they may reach a condition favorable to reasoning with each other.

Secretary of War Elihu Root has been prosecuting the investigation in his department as vigorously as that in the postoffice department, and the results are passed up to the department of justice for legal construction. The war department matter is much more simple than that in the postoffice department. It does not look favorable to Congressman Littauer. Of course, it is an open question whether an indictable offense has been committed. That is one of the questions propounded to the attorney general's department. But whether or not there has been any indictable misdemeanor, there is no question the glove contract was in very bad taste. Gentlemen holding public office ought to be careful not merely to keep within the law, but to observe the proprieties.

There is a pretty strong tip out on Arthur Pue Gorman for the Democratic nomination for president next year, despite the Maryland senator's statement of a few days ago. Well, Mr. Gorman will make as good a candidate as any one for the occasion. He is well-nigh the antithesis of Bryan, and when he has been beaten scores will be even between the two wings of the Democracy. Upon that plane of equality in defeat they may get in harmony and flap together in 1908. The most sanguine Democrat does not look forward to victory next year, and if Senator Gorman takes the nomination it is in the hope that leadership of the forlorn hope will entitle him to another nomination four years later. The situation may then be no better, but we all know "distance lends enchantment to the view" and "hope springs eternal," etc.

A brief dispatch in yesterday's news reports bears the information that one L. J. Rix has succeeded in extracting silver from gold and in converting the slate of commerce into a new mineral. This mineral Mr. Rix hopes to convert into gold. Apparently he is working upon the latest scientific theory that all matter is composed of darting electrons, the differences between substances being merely differences in the arrangements of electrons and atoms. It is possible he may succeed in manufacturing gold from baser material. Even so the question will remain whether he can do so economically. His chemical and electrical accessories are expensive, far more so than the alembic of the alchemist of old. The philosopher's stone may be a possibility, but what will it cost? That is a pertinent inquiry before any stock is floated.

We have in hand another communication from the Hon. John F. Dravo on the subject of dams and bridges in which he assigns to us selfish motives and submission to undue influence. In that Mr. Dravo is mistaken, we believe as honestly mistaken as he is in his attitude toward the bridges across the Allegheny river. With his concluding appeal, "let us shake hands and have peace," we are in the heartiest sympathy. The Gazette has no personal quarrel with Mr. Dravo. If anything it has said has seemed to reflect upon him individually, it was not so intended. We have merely differed from him in opinion; while according to him the utmost respect for his disinterested and unselfish efforts in behalf of this region. He ought to be willing to believe The Gazette is equally devoted to the best interests of the Pittsburgh region, according as it sees them. It thinks it takes the broader view. With these remarks and without prejudice to Mr. Dravo, the personal phase of the subject may profitably be dropped.

Terrible Responsibility.

One view of the delay in providing filtration is set forth in a communciation in another column. It is vigorous, but not more so than that of Dr. William J. Holland, or that of the Pennsylvania Medical Journal. It is an indication of how the people of Pittsburgh regard the matter and of how they will continue to regard it until pure water is supplied them. We do not go so far as to say that all of the typhoid fever is due to impure water, but the experience of cities that have adopted sand filtration leaves no doubt that a large percentage of cases of that disease have their origin in bad water. That experience leaves no excuse for further delay in giving Pittsburgh the fullest possible measure of relief.

Touching the culpability of the city authorities, it may be said that a business administration of city affairs would have eliminated all doubt about the adequacy of funds. Had meters been installed a few years ago there would have been no necessity for the construction of Highland reservoir No. 2, with its attendant scandals, or for the purchase of the last pumping engines added to the Brilliant equipment. The expenditure for that reservoir and the additional machinery installed to provide for water waste would have supplied the meters. In that situation the proceeds of the bond issue would have been ample for the construction of a filter plant equal to the purification of all water actually consumed. Neglect to follow such a plain business course is responsible for many deaths and much suffering and loss due to typhoid fever.

It is probably not possible to prosecute anyone for what has been done, as our correspondent suggests. If such a course was open municipal administration would be different. But the fact remains that preventable disease and death lay a heavy burden of moral responsibility at the door of those who are responsible for holding up this sanitary project.

Labor Well Employed.

The verdict of trade reports for last week on the business aspect of the whole United States may be considered to have been well summed up in this one sentence: "Labor is well employed throughout the country, except where voluntarily idle." The cotton textile industry continues to be the conspicuous exception, proving the rule of general employment, and lack of employment in this industry is not due to any failure of demand, but to uncertainty concerning the continuance of the present high price of raw cotton. If manufacturers of cotton goods could be assured that the price of their raw material would not decline to a much lower figure they would make contracts at once and end their present policy of hand-to-mouth operation and run their mills full time or overtime in preparation for the anticipated greater demands of the later season. The high price of raw cotton is having a large influence abroad, as well as at home, in stopping and slowing wheels of industry. It is a matter of official record, through a statement made in the British parliament by the president of the British board of trade, that several hundred thousand operatives in England are adversely affected by the only partial running of the cotton mills, due to the scant supply of raw material to work on. The business of the cotton manufacturers in the United States, Canada and Great Britain is in a state of partial paralysis at the moment, and the condition will not be cured until the new crop of cotton is sufficiently matured to enable buyers to better read the future and get together with sellers. So far as the labor employed in the cotton manufacturing industry is concerned it cannot be said with entire accuracy that its idleness is voluntary, for where it is unemployed its lack of employment is due to circumstances as much beyond its control as if the mills were running short time because of lack of orders. But there is entire voluntariness in the idleness of the mills, and for trade purposes the idleness of the labor dependent on the mills partakes of the same general character. There is a deadlock between buyer and seller that acts as a brake on the wheels of the cotton industry, but the harvesting of the new crop will end it. In all other instances where labor is idle, it is due to differences that are adjustable at a moment's notice, as in the matter of the dispute in Pittsburgh between the Builders' league and the Building Trades' council. In such disputes and in all cases where idleness is due to other causes than lack of demand it can be truthfully said that idleness is voluntary. As the trade reports show that there is no lack of demand at any point, but that stocks of summer goods are well cleaned up, the demand for fall goods strong and all-the-year-round staples moving actively, it is apparent that the disappearance of the conditions that produce voluntary idleness will leave not a cloud on the sky of prosperity. The time when the voluntary idleness of the cotton industry will have wholly ended can be estimated almost to the moment by persons familiar with crop and trade conditions; the disappearance of the voluntary idleness, caused by disputes between employer and employe, is altogether a question of endurance, or of a return of a spirit of reasonableness. These clouds are merely passing ones, floating across the summer sky of prosperity without appreciably darkening the prospect.

Carnegie On British Tariff.

In England the tariff question introduced by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, is agitating every class of society. Mr. Chamberlain's proposition is to levy duties in order that preferential treatment may be given the British colonies, as Great Britain is given a preference of 33 per cent in Canada. The discussion has involved Mr. Andrew Carnegie, and in a lengthy letter to the London Times that gentleman explains his attitude and sets forth his opinions. Briefly, Mr. Carnegie does not object to any tariff that Great Britain chooses to levy upon products from foreign lands, but it is his opinion that any effort on her part to discriminate against the United States in favor of Canada would bring retribution swift and sure by the instant revocation of the Canadian privilege to send products across American territory for export, free of duty, and by a retaliatory tariff.

Mr. Carnegie reminds the Times that the United States now supplies three-fourths of the foodstuffs consumed by the British people and the raw cotton which keeps running 35,000,000 of her 44,000,000 spindles. The loss of this trade, he says, would merely inconvenience the republic which does not depend upon it, but strained relations between the two would paralyze Great Britain. He ventures the prediction that discrimination against the United States would have to be abandoned as it was in 1825 and that England would be compelled to sue for peace within a very few months, but the bitterness created thereby would not be overcome for many years. Mr. Carnegie argues further that the friendly relations existing between the two countries assures a maintenance of the British food supply under any circumstances, but the adoption of a preferential tariff discriminating against the republic would put that supply at the mercy of any hostile power that might happen to attack the mother country.

Mr. Carnegie admits that high duties have been levied by this country with his approval, but he says they have also been lowered with his approval. "The duty on steel rails, for instance," he says, "is just one-fourth what it was, and with my full approval will go lower." But, he declares, none of the duties approved by him were preferential and that he would not approve preferential rates unless it was a case of retaliation upon another nation for giving preferential treatment to a third. In conclusion, the famous builder of libraries suggests that if Great Britain must have preferential tariffs, it will be the part of wisdom to cement American friendship by giving to the United States the same preference that is given the British colonies.

No doubt Mr. Carnegie's statement will set the British statesmen thinking. He is unquestionably right about the attitude the American people would assume toward preferences given to Canada. "My lady of the snows" would ship her grain from her own ports or not at all, and England would sell little or nothing to the big republic. But the Laird of Skibo might well have stopped short of the proposition to extend preferences to the United States. In that event the system would have practically no value to Canada or Australia. Mr. Chamberlain's plan is aimed at the United States and Germany jointly, but principally at the United States. Stripped of this feature, it is not probable that even Chamberlain would support it any further, and certainly the United States seeks no preference in British markets nor any closer alliance with British world interests.

Helping the Farmer.

While the department of agriculture at Washington is most widely known as an institution in some way connected with a stupendous folly—namely, the distribution of free seeds through members of congress—it is really doing much valuable work for the advancement of agriculture. The congressional packets are familiarly known as "the seeds that never grow," and that extravagance should be abolished, because it smirches the reputation of one of the most useful government departments.

The beneficent work of the department is conducted by many divisions. Through their efforts markets are found abroad for surplus products; plant diseases are studied and cured; insect pests are successfully combated; cattle diseases are prevented from spreading; better farming is encouraged on scientific lines; new crops of value are introduced and the construction of better roads is encouraged. The agricultural population is greatly benefited by these things directly and the consuming population is benefited indirectly.

Two recent discoveries, developed by the department of agriculture, are likely to make farming more pleasant and more profitable. The one is a mechanical invention—an apparatus which kills all weed seed and insect life by steaming the soil. It is expected these machines will be operated by private enterprise, just as steam threshers are, one or two being sufficient for a township. The other discovery is a method for propagating and distributing the microscopic organisms that have the power of extracting the nitrogen from the air and feeding it to the roots of leguminous plants. The best known of the legumes are clover and peas. It has long been known that the property which these plants have of enriching the soil where they grow is due to the presence on their roots of myriads of "germs," which extract nitrogen from the air. Without these parasites the legumes do not thrive, and their total absence leads to that condition described as "clover sick" soil.

Scientists in the department of agriculture have studied these micro-organisms carefully. They have discovered a method of propagating them in quantities; a means of inducing in them nitrogen hunger; a process by which they are reduced to a state of suspended animation for shipment, and from which they can be revived by the farmer, and, finally, a feasible way to put them into the soil with the clover seed, the cow peas, or whatever legume is desired for bringing up the land. By next year the department will be ready to begin the distribution of the bacteria, keeping secret all of the processes, except that for reviving the nitrogen feeders from their transportation trance.

The importance of this discovery will be appreciated by all who know how essential it is to have nitrogen in the soil where cereals are to be grown, especially wheat; how expensive nitrogen is in fertilizer forms, and the inability of science to take nitrogen from the air as the little microbes do. Less than a decade ago, Sir William Crookes, the eminent English physicist, created a sensation by predicting a wheat famine in the comparatively near future unless science could find a way to extract nitrogen from the air cheaply. Science has sought in vain for a practical direct process, but by following nature the scientists of our agricultural department have found a way. They will simply disseminate useful bacteria, putting them in the soil where they are needed. This means regeneration of the wheat lands and probably a check to the emigration to the new lands of the Canadian northwest.

Reports from Omaha that there will be another advance in the price of fresh beef is another reminder of the nursery rhyme cow that jumped over the moon. But the rhyme is better appreciated than the Omaha report.

A lot of people who believe stocks to be dirt cheap at present prices are in the position of the man who once upon a time could have bought for a pair of boots the ground upon which Chicago now stands.

Baltimore wants to have the national conventions of 1904 pulled off in that city. Since the harmonists met there Baltimore's appetite for conventions has been insatiable.

There is just as much need for currency reform as ever there was, but less has been heard concerning it since the Wall street crowd fell through into the sub-cellar.

So far there has been but one conspiracy against the life of the new king of Servia. Life at Belgrade is becoming almost as tame as the New York stock market.

Of course Ireland will be pleased with King Edward's good opinion of his Irish people, but he hasn't told them anything they weren't sure of before.

Powell Clayton wants a western man for vice president. So does everybody else—or an eastern man, or a northern man, or a southern man.

Caleb Powers is again being tried on the charge of murdering Gov. Goebel and for being a Republican.

Now that Col. Guffey is said to be under the Brennen boom it is expected to show some signs of life.

Prof. Langley's press agents are keeping the public well informed of what isn't being done.

Senator Gorman is a wise man who knows what the frost does to the too early boom.

At this rate the National league pennant doesn't belong anywhere but in Pittsburgh.

There are a few echoes from Somerset of the recent military occupation.

It may be said that reports from the vatican are smoked out.

It is the general verdict that race wars should go slower.

Midnight is an hour when things happen in Wilkinsburg.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

The prince of Wales has taken his father's place as arbiter of men's fashions. He seldom wears a suit more than two or three times.

Emperor William recently gave 225,000 marks in aid of the fishermen of Zersen, on the German ocean, who had been ruined by a tidal wave.

Only three members of the electoral commission of 1877 survive, ex-Senator Edmunds, Senator Hoar and Gen. Eppa Hunton of Virginia. All of the five justices of the supreme court are dead.

Judge William Penn Lyon, the "grand old man" of Wisconsin, former chief justice, civil war colonel, statesman, and institutional manager, is going to California, where he will reside the remaining years of his life. He is 81 years old, and has been a part of most of the history of the state of Wisconsin.

Maggie L. Walker, a colored woman, has the distinction of being the first woman, white or colored, ever elected president of a bank in Virginia. She has been elected president of the St. Luke's Penny Savings bank of Richmond, which will open for business on September 1 with $75,000 in deposits. She was formerly a school-teacher, and has the confidence of both races.

Here Is a Prize-Winning Love Letter.

Miss Anne Evans of Milwaukee knows how to write a love letter. As a result of a competition carried on by a newspaper she has received a $10 prize for having turned in the ideal love letter. It follows:

"My Dear Heart—My first love letter! What shall I say to you? Why, that tonight I am rich—rich with a woman's whole opulence, the joy of giving.

"All my childhood's gladness, all of a girl's tender, secret dreaming of the unfolding mystery of life, all of a woman's yearning potentialities for sacrifice—all these I coin into the new, shining gold of by love from mines in depths unguessed, unfathomed save by you, and given not in spendthrift recklessness, but with jealous care that every bit of its preciousness may come to you untouched.

"Yes, I'm jealous—not of your love for me, but of my love for you. Because, unspeakably dear as your love is to me, that is my life, my love for you. I think that must be God's gift to woman, and even that I give to you. Goodnight."

The Pistol Habit.

Certainly we have too many unjustifiable homicides in this country. And the real root of all the evil is the hip-pocket habit. If the laws which prohibit the carrying of concealed deadly weapons were rigidly enforced, as they should be enforced, there would be an immediate decrease in the number of homicides in the United States.—Salt Lake Herald.

Betrayed by His Name.

Leong Kai Chew of China is an honored guest of the celestials of Chicago. This Mr. Kai Chew is said to be a lineal descendant of the ancient mandarin who invented sneezing.—Minneapolis Times.

YE SEASIDE ROMANCE.

Ye couple sate uponne yon beach
And spake love silently,
When all at once ye maide did screech:
"Oh, George! Stop pinching me."

Ye bloke he answered notte one word,
But sate there wrapt in glee,
Whenne once again her voice he heard:
"Oh, George! Stop pinching me."

"Upon my word I pinched thee notte,
My darling Minnie dear,
I haven't pinched a single spot
Of thee since we've been here."

Saith she, "That's verrie strange, egad!"
Her dress she quick did grabbe,
And jumping up she found she had
Been sitting on a crabbe.
—F. P. Pitzer, in New York Times.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

"Two shall be born the whole wide world apart,
And speak in different tongues, and have no thought
Each of the other's being, and no heed,
And these to unknown seas, to unknown lands,
Shall cross, escaping wreck, defying death,
And all unconsciously shape every act to this one end,
That one day out of darkness they shall meet,
And read life's meaning in each other's eyes.

"And two shall walk some narrow way of life
So nearly side by side that should one turn
Ever so little space to left or right
They needs must stand acknowledged face to face.
Yet with wistful eyes that never meet,
And groping hands that never clasp,
Calling in vain to ears that never hear,
They seek each other all these weary years
And die unsatisfied. And that is fate."

Who wrote these lines?

They came drifting in, and they will go on drifting forever, for they are too good to sink with the trash that drifts awhile and then goes down and is forgotten.

Yes, they are too good, in a way, to be forgotten; and yet, in a way, they are not good—that is, in a poetical way. There seems to be something wrong with the last four lines. They don't appear to have all their feet under them, or their measure is not exact—doesn't beat quite right.

However, their meaning is clear, and it just suits some people—a whole lot, for that matter.

If a young woman were to find these lines in a letter from a young man, she would know what was the matter with him. At least it would be an easy guess; although she might guess wrong, for he might have only liked them, and knowing her taste thought she would like them, too.

The chances are, however, that she would think the same as you.

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But were a married woman to receive them from an unmarried man—one whom she knew had been one of her admirers while she was yet single—what might she think? What would she think, or what do you think she would think?

And still she might be wrong; for, knowing her tastes, and having discussed the subject of fate with her in other days, he might have sent them just because they expressed her sentiments, or because they didn't. Being good and strong they would fit in well either way.

While you may not take this view of it, yet you will readily see that it is not untenable—not utterly, at least.

Believers in fate, you know, are usually subject to extreme views, and are liable to saddle upon it their disappointments, and their might-have-beens, although they were clearly due to their own slips of the tongue or errors in judgment.

However, fate is a handy and a competent scape-goat, and as such bears many of our sins, particularly our sins of omission, as well as assuming responsibility for many of our careless slips and fool tricks.

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What is your idea of fate, anyway? Do you believe in it? If so, what is it you believe?

Some regard it as predetermined and inevitable necessity.

Do you believe, or can you imagine, that all that is to happen to you is already written out as it is to occur day by day?

If so, can you prove it, or give any good reason why it should be so?

It is much easier to believe that whatever happens to you is your fate, even if it had not been contemplated a moment before it occurred. Emerson says:

"And every man, in love or pride,
Of his fate is never wide."

Lovers, of all others, are the firmest believers in fate. This is proven by the fact that they, of all others, do most patronize the fortune teller. Here is one who believed in fate, no doubt, and met it like a real woman:

We were seated after dancing,
On the stairs.
He, before I could forbid it,
Stole a rose ere yet I missed it,
Swiftly in his pocket hid it,
Unawares.

We were resting after dancing,
On the stairs.
I had said that he should rue it
And a lecture I intended,
Which I think he apprehended;
Yet he kissed me ere I knew it,
Unawares.

We were silent after dancing,
On the stairs.
I had stormed with angry feeling,
But he spoke love, never heeding;
And my eyes fell 'neath his pleading,
All my depth of love revealing
Unawares.
—Cap and Gown.

But women are not the only ones who know their fate when it comes along. There are others, some of whom are men; for instance:

She told me: "No." I asked again
By words of mouth, by facile pen,
Persuading oft, I urged my cause,
By all the sweet unwritten laws
That govern Cupid's court, and then
Went over every word again,
To find, alas, as other men
Have found, persuading vain, because
She told me: "No."

Grown desperate, I spoke again:
"Am I," I said, "like other men,
Whose words to you are tinselled gauze?
Are all my hopes to be as straws?"
Her eyes grew soft, and smiling then,
She told me: "No."
—Godey's.

"Between a woman's 'Yes' and 'No' I would not undertake to insert a pin," said Don Quixote. And yet he was a victim of the fates.

After all, if a fellow loves a girl all right, and she loves him all right, fate will fix them all right, all right. And if they don't love each other all right fate will fix them all right, anyhow.

We deserve that which we get. We may not like it, but we get it, all right, and that is fate.

This may sound somewhat harsh, and feel a bit cold, but it is right, from any point of view.

If your fate is written in heaven, fixed from all eternity, then whatever happens is altogether right and proper, for heaven is just—it must be, or it would have fallen long ago. Or, if you shape your ends, whatever shape your ends may be are right, for you are right, of course.

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"All parts of the earth I have an interest in," said the goose; "the earth serves me to walk upon the sun to light me; the stars have their influence upon me; I have such an advantage by the winds and such by the waters; there is nothing that yon heavenly roof looks upon so favorably as me. I am the darling of nature. Is it not man that keeps and serves me?"

Thus wrote Montaign more than 300 years ago. And now, when you come to think about it, wasn't the goose justified in saying as it did?

What does a goose care for fate? Or what has fate to do with a goose?

And are you not as good in the sight of nature as a goose, and won't you be as well cared for? The goose reads the signs as nature writes them, and observes them. Do you do as well?

All things, be they animate or inanimate, that live right live well, and die well. More than this no one can ask in reason. That which hasn't sufficient food dwindles and dies; that which has too much suffers and dies from surfeit.

Man, above all creatures, or things, is allowed to choose his fate. He suits himself to such destiny as he desires, whether good or bad.

Whatever your fate, be sure you had a free hand in shaping it.

I slept, and dreamed that life was beauty;
I woke, and found that life was duty.
Was thy dream then a shadowy lie?
Toil on, poor heart, unceasingly;
And thou shalt find thy dream to be
A truth and noonday light to thee.
—Ellen Sturgis Hooper.

Cubans for Peace.

Reports of "uprisings" and "threatened revolution" in Cuba need not alarm investors nor discourage those who hope for the independent advancement of the island. A few hot headed veterans of the wars against Spain are creating disturbances in the eastern province, but 90 per cent of the people are committed to peace, and there is not the slightest possibility that anything worthy of the name of revolt will occur.—Philadelphia North American.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—George H. Wilson, manager of the Pittsburgh orchestra, is in New York. He arrived yesterday on the Moltke, after the longest vacation he had ever had. He sailed away on May 29, and has been seeing and hearing performances of opera and drama in the theaters of London, Paris and other European cities, besides enjoying a complete rest. He looks very well, and his Pittsburgh friends will see a decided change for the better in his appearance since he left home after a long and arduous season. He was very tired when he departed, last spring. It was almost immediately after the close of the grand opera season, which he had conducted with singular success, and which had made some inroads on his vitality, that he made up his mind to sail direct for Paris, where his daughters are receiving a careful musical education, under the eye of their mother. Mr. Wilson spent most of his time in Paris. He did not see Herr Conreid while away, but will meet him in this city about September. He says that Europe has actually been drained of artists by American managers, and that musically this country has nothing to yield to the old world. He saw several operas in London and Paris, and his resultant opinion was that while the performances on the other side may be better than ours pictorially, they cannot compete with American offerings in the work of the singers and musicians. Mr. Wilson spoke enthusiastically of the prospects of the Pittsburgh orchestra. He thinks the coming season will be the greatest in its history. He will go by boat up the Hudson to Saratoga tonight, to spend tomorrow with Victor Herbert. He will return to New York in the evening, put in Wednesday here, and leave at night for Pittsburgh, reaching there on Thursday morning. He is eager to get home to take up his work he says, although he has enjoyed every moment of his vacation.

Met Maurice Grau.

Among the distinguished personages Mr. Wilson met abroad was Maurice Grau. The former director of grand opera in New York has a charming home just outside of Paris, and it was there Mr. Wilson saw him. The two are warm friends, and Mr. Grau said that while he had retired from active operatic management, he would be glad to be interested as a silent partner in any musical or artistic project that Mr. Wilson might come across. It is quite on the cards, therefore, that the Pittsburgh impresario and Mr. Grau may be associated together again before they are many months older—although this is purely conjectural.

Considers Low a Failure.

Herman Ridder, business manager of the Staats-Zeitung, and one of the most influential German-Americans in New York, declared himself strongly on local politics today. Mr. Ridder wields the sceptre of leader of the German-American Reform union, and he is quoted as saying that Mayor Low's administration has been a dismal failure, regarded as a non-partisan administration. The mayor's ignoring of the independent element which elected him meaning, presumably, the G.-A. R. U.), came in for a particularly fierce denunciation. From all that Mr. Ridder said it appears that President Roosevelt, Gov. Odell and Police Commissioner Greene are blamed, with Mayor Low for not giving the German-American element in New York the recognition to which Mr. Ridder thinks they are entitled. He summed up the matter, however, by saying that "if it eventually came to a choice between Mayor Low and a Richard Croker or "yellow dog" ticket, the independent Democrats of the city would feel constrained to support Low. The importanec of Ridder in the political world of this city gives much weight to what he is quoted as saying, and the air is sure to be full of controversy for the next few days, because the head of the G.-A. R. U. is too big a man to be treated cavalierly.

Was a Pleasant Feature.

When Prince Henry of Prussia was in New York the biggest dinner given in his honor, which was in the Waldorf-Astoria, in the name of the journalists of America, was managed by Herman Ridder. Mr. Ridder worked very hard, but the success of the function was such as to welcome all the labor and time he devoted to it. Prince Henry was much taken with him, and the two men, the journalist and the prince, drank "gut heil" to each other with that fraternal intimacy and heartiness characteristic of the Teuton in moments of relaxation. It was one of the pleasantest features of a very pleasant occasion.

Grady Has a Hard Fight.

It is a dull day when something new does not happen in the McMahon assault case. The reports today were that David Lamar, the Wall street broker whose name has got mixed up in the squabble, had paid $171 to satisfy a judgment obtained against him by McMahon, and that "Monk" Eastman and his pal, Joe Kenny, alias Brown, will have to go to New Jersey for trial on a charge of felonious assault as soon as extradition papers can be made out. Ex-Senator Grady, who is defending the two men charged with the assault, has been fighting desperately for his clients, but has not made many points, so far. The weight of evidence seems to be against him. However, Grady is a good fighter, and no doubt will continue to do battle so long as he has strength to face the foe.

Gates Feels Better.

Word comes from Saratoga that John W. Gates is not so ill as was reported yesterday. Mr. Gates is quoted as saying that he feels better than he had for four months. He is such a well-known man in New York, and has so many friends in this city, that the news was received with great and sincere pleasure. At the Waldorf-Astoria tonight, where Mr. Gates is always to be met when in the city, the main topic of conversation was the improvement reported in the health of the popular financier.

The Bonnet Is All Right.

Charles H. Meltzer, Herr Conreid's lieutenant, who has just returned from Europe, is particularly proud of one achievement of his while abroad, which had nothing to do with the engaging of artists or passing an expert opinion on new work in the great theaters of London, Paris, Vienna and Berlin. He bought a bonnet for Mrs. Meltzer in a Paris magazind de modes, and got a draw-back of three francs on it. It is said by those fortunate enough to have seen the bonnet that its marvel of taste and delicacy which tends to prove that a man may write plays and books and still recognize a well-built piece of millinery when he meets it.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Manhattan.
J. W. Frank.
A. G. Helmes.
P. H. Thomas.
H. C. Vantine.

Victoria.
E. Holcomb.
Joseph Bennett.

Murray Hill.
F. M. Chevers.
Mrs. McDonough.

Navarre.
D. S. Hirsch.
C. Friebertshauser.
M. H. Jenkins.
H. B. Jones.
Mrs. Jones.

Cosmopolitan.
F. C. Bartley.

Ashland.
W. H. Wing.
F. O. Fuhtel.
Mrs. Fuhtel.
A. M. Stevenson.

Marlborough.
R. G. Lindsay.
J. M. Given.
George D. Kelly.
Sidney Johnson.
Mrs. Johnson.
A. A. Keally.
Miss Wilder.

Park Avenue.
C. C. Waring.
W. W. Waring.
E. C. White.

Grand Union.
L. B. Wright.

New Amsterdam.
Lee Donohoe.

Albemarle.
C. J. Fleming.

St. Denis.
W. C. Johnston.
Mrs. Johnston.
Moses McIlvaine.
W. M. Hardie.

Bartholdi.
Miss S. E. Jones.
J. M. Roover.
Mrs. F. Paterson.

Belvedere.
Emil Gaertner.

Gilsey.
J. P. Starr.

Broadway Central.
C. P. Johnston.
F. L. Whitty.

Astor.
S. Davis.
W. H. Rember.

Albert.
Miss M. Ellose.
J. M. Evans.
D. L. Morgan.
Mrs. Morgan.

Fifth Avenue.
C. M. Logue.
Miss E. J. Chambers.
T. B. Riter.
Mrs. Riter.
Miss Sarah Cunningham.
Joseph Riter.
J. P. Leonard.
E. K. Heron.

Holland.
George H. Wilson.
H. W. Allison.
Henry L. Collins.
Mrs. Collins.
Miss Pontefract.
A. B. Benney.
Moses Atwood.

Herald Square.
J. L. Schoenald.
J. A. Gurney.
T. F. Brown.
J. B. Green.
H. H. Paterson.
H. R. Edelmann.
E. E. Fowel.
J. D. Rampey.
J. C. Best.
Mrs. Best.

Metropolitan.
T. J. Norsey.
A. Heller.
J. M. Tighe.
E. Turnure.

Imperial.
L. S. Dow.
Charles Falk.
M. Forest.
Mrs. Coulter.
E. L. McGary.
Morgan Hewitt.

Hoffman.
W. D. Hartupee.
W. P. Denny.

Political Drift.

In a recent interview Judge Alton B. Parker of New York, sometime regarded as a possible candidate for president, declared his opinion that political campaigns are too long. He thinks that since the advent of telegraph, telephone and fast trains, as well as high-speed newspapers campaigns ought to be fought out in half the time alloted them and thus with slight disturbance of business. The Philadelphia Press (Rep.) says of this suggestion: "Perhaps it is too late to take Judge Parker's advice in this matter for next year's campaign. Public opinion may not be prepared for so radical a change. But by 1908 it ought to be possible to consider seriously the proposition to reduce the length of presidential campaigns and bring them more into harmony with modern improvements and methods."

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"We congratulate Mr. Roosevelt on the declaration of hostility made against him by the faction of the Republicans of Louisiana known as the Lily Whites," says the New York Times (Ind. Dem.) "The organization had no real force in the serious politics of the state, much less of the nation. It was largely controlled by office seekers and was effective, apart from getting appointments, mainly in lending an appearance of southern support to the extremest forms of protection and subsidies. He can better afford its hatred than its interested friendship."

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"It is commonly understood that Wall street, the makers and sustainers of the monopolistic trusts, the issuers of undigested and indigestible securities and the coal barons are somewhat lukewarm with regard to President Roosevelt's nomination, and that they would welcome a Democratic candidate whose views harmonized with theirs. "If these rumors of capitalistic defection be true," says the Philadelphia Ledger (Ind.), "Mr. Gorman would be an admirable, because a wholly consistent, candidate for the disaffected. He would not disturb the tariff; he would not hurt a hair of the head of a single monopolistic trust. He would not invoke the law against blanket mergers, nor rail at the issuance of indigestible securities. He would not look unkindly upon Wall street, nor would he invite the coal operators to a conference with John Mitchell. Senator Gorman would be an ideal candidate for the presidency in the eyes of the vested interests, and he knows it. But in 1904 he would be nothing more than a candidate. Disgruntled capital would give him generous support, but the people will give their support, to Mr. Roosevelt, and the representatives of the trusts are few, while the representatives of the people are many. Their name is legion, and they will overwhelm with their votes the candidate who stands for material interests which are opposed to theirs."

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In its campaign against free trade as a Democratic party principle the Washington Post (Ind. Dem.) welcomes an ally thus: "The Nashville American, a paper that never bolts the Democratic ticket, even though it may detest the candidate and abominate the platform, comes out squarely for protection—a bold course for a Democratic paper in a Democratic state. To be sure, it is only 'incidental protection' to which the American commits itself, but that is a long way from 'tariff for revenue only.' The one is a square condemnation of and the other a full indorsement of free trade as the British exemplify that policy.

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There is nothing like a good, earnest fight, thinks the Washington Star (Ind. Rep.), which says: "The announcement that several members of the cabinet will participate in the Ohio campaign is assurance that the Republicans expect a lively scrimmage there this year. The news is good. Whenever there is a fight let it be a stirring one. Let it always be necessary for politicians to go before the people and state their case and strive hard for the mastery. Where the people demand this they secure better servants and better service. Mr. Hanna wants to succeed himself in the senate. Tom L. Johnson has an idea that he would fill that office better than Mr. Hanna. What say the people of Ohio? A two months' debate on that proposition ought to bring out a big vote in Ohio in November."

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Anent the Populist reunion at Denver, managed by the Hon. William V. Allen without the advice or consent of the red-haired Hon. Thomas S. Watson, the New York Tribune (Rep.) says: "Evidently with Populism the golden cord is loosed and the pitcher is broken at the fountain. Though reunited and harmonized, the Populist party of 1903 can hope to be only the emptiest shell of the Populist organization of 1896 or 1900. It looks to us as if at Denver the Hon. William V. Allen was treading a banquet hall deserted—as if the consolidation which he and his associates have been effecting is merger in one battle line of two exhausted skeleton ranks."

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Senator Dubois has been booming Judge Parker in the west, and the Albany Journal (Rep.) appends this comment: "And here in the east, conservative Democrats are inclined to favor the nomination of Judge Parker because they regard him as an opponent of the revolutionary principles and doctrines of Bryanism. Thus the judge is placed at once at a decided advantage, being considered by each faction of the Democracy as "one of us." Riding two horses is somewhat dangerous, but it can be successfully accomplished if the rider can keep both animals under perfect control."

Manslaughter at Least.

To the Editor of The Pittsburgh Gazette:

Sir: In an article in today's Chronicle Telegraph Dr. C. C. Rinehart is quoted as having said that the supply of impure water which has caused many deaths from typhoid fever is "almost murder."

The city water is a commodity sold to the citizens at a price which not only covers the cost but leaves a handsome margin of profit.

If the keeper of a hotel or restaurant supplied food or drink which caused sickness and death he would be amenable to the law on the charge of murder.

Is the causing of death no less a murder because of its being due to either preventable omission or to commission of public officers who are at the same time violating their oaths of office? Is it less a murder to cause death by typhoid fever than by arsenic, a revolver or a bludgeon?

From the time the filtration commission report was in the hands of our city officials and the bond issue authorized for the building of the filtration plant, every city official who has delayed the completion of that plant, either by opposition or by neglect of his duties, should be considered as amenable to indictment for manslaughter at the hands of a grand jury as though he had committed murder in any of the more commonly practiced methods of committing that crime. Yours truly,

JOSEPH A. SHINN.

Pittsburgh, August 3, 1903.

Italy's Revival.

This modern revival of the ancient mother land of great rulers, famous conquerors and gifted artists, poets and painters, builders of cities and masters of empires, is one of the bright signs of the times. It shows how far the world is from exhaustion, in the districts where man has been most active and the population has been most dense. There is no country so well worn and so long crowded, judged by the standards of any age, that it may not aspire to much greater achievements and higher prosperity than it has ever enjoyed. The world is in no sense "played out," in any extensive or important region.—Cleveland Leader.

IT IS TO SMILE.

When your wife's mother closes her eyes at church and you suggest that she was asleep, and she declares that she heard every word the minister said, let it go at that. Don't ask her what any of the words were.—Boston Transcript.

"Talk about man being the lord of creation!" exclaimed Mrs. Ferguson. "What would the garden of Eden itself have been without Eve?"

"What was it after she came?" demanded Mr. Ferguson, in a rasping voice.—Chicago Tribune.

Isabella was nobly offering to pawn her jewels for Columbus.

"But," asked the great navigator, "why not let me take them on the ship and I'll soak them for you?"

Touched to the quick by this gallant reply, Ferdinand put up the cash instead.—New York Sun.

"Do the Kansas farmers expect much for their money?" asked the hat salesman.

"I should say so," responded the lightning rod agent. "After they buy a lightning rod they expect you to send along a thunderstorm so they can test it."—Chicago News.

PRICE OF BEEF MAY NOT GO UP

Local Meat Dealers Do Not Expect Any Marked Increase in Quotations.

REASONS FOR A SLIGHT RISE

Consumers Not Likely to Be Affected, as Retailers Usually Charge Prices That Cover Contingencies—Packers Discredit a Report from Omaha.

Backing themselves up by a reference to a dispatch to the newspapers from Omaha, Pittsburgh butchers yesterday predicted a material advance in the prices of beef and other meats. The Omaha dispatch said that the choice cuts of beef had gone up 2½ cents a pound in western cities and that a similar advance would soon be made in eastern towns.

There are daily fluctuations in the prices of meat, as there are changes in the prices of other commodities, but these fluctuations usually vary from ¼ to ½ cent a pound. An advance like the one stated in the Omaha telegram would be a high jump, indeed, it is asserted.

Butchers talked yesterday of the difference between grass-fed cattle and grain-fed cattle. They said that pasturage is failing, as usual in the summer; that grain must be fed and that it is increasing in value, and therefore beef must go up. They remarked that an increase of 2½ cents a pound wholesale would not surprise them.

Most of the representatives of the Chicago packing houses are not sure that the prediction of beef so much higher in price will be realized very soon. The manager of Armour & Co. said that there had been a slight advance in beef, but that he did not anticipate such a pronounced jump as 2½ cents. He said:

"Of course, I don't know what may be done, but I do not expect that the price will be much higher, unless there should be a scarcity. You know, prices on beef are subject to the law of supply and demand. When cattle are plentiful prices rule lower, and when cattle are scarce prices go up. We buy cattle in the open market, and, of course, the prices we charge are regulated by what we have to pay for beef on the hoof. If cattle become scarcer, quotations will have to be raised, but I certainly do not think that such an advance as quoted in that Omaha dispatch will happen.

"At any rate, I am confident that quotations will not go high enough to furnish the retail butcher an excuse to raise prices, especially on the choicer cuts. Butchers strive to have a price fairly regular, to cover all eventualities. For fine steaks and roasts, for instance, they charge about the same price all the year around."

At Swift & Co.'s place it was also said that while the employes of the branch house did not know what the quotations might go to, yet they felt no fear that 2½ cents a pound would be added to the present prices of beef.

Manager Caine of the Cudahy Packing Company said: "No word has come to us to increase the prices of beef, but if we should receive such orders there would be nothing unusual about it. Corn-fed cattle are usually higher at this time of the year."

NEGROES SLASH INVALID AND ARE CHASED BY MOB

HARTFORD CITY, IND., Aug. 3.—George Hearshey, an invalid, aged 19, while hunting squirrels on his father's farm today was approached by two negroes, who searched his clothing for money, and finding none, tore his clothing from him and mutilated him with a knife. The boy succeeded in reaching home and his father gave the alarm, mounted a horse and called for volunteers to wreak vengeance on the fleeing negroes. Two hundred men and boys joined in the chase, but no trace of the negroes was found. Sheriff Morigal, with a detachment of deputies, followed the mob to prevent a lynching.

MISSING MAN LEFT WITHOUT HIS HAT

A. J. Geri, aged 39 years, of No. 1002 Perry street, Allegheny, is missing from his home and the Allegheny police have been asked to assist in finding him. Geri is a timekeeper at the Best Manufacturing Company at Twenty-sixth street and left the office of the firm on Saturday evening about 8:30, leaving his hat. He has not been seen since.

President Sends Check for Baby.

A check for $100 for Theodore Roosevelt Signet has been received by William H. Signet of McKeesport from President Roosevelt. The boy was born several weeks ago and is the 20th child born to Mr. Signet. The $100 has been deposited in a bank to the credit of the boy, who will receive the principal and interest when he is 21 years old.

May Reduce Mileage Rate.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—A flat passenger rate of 2 cents per mile in all the territory from Kansas City and St. Paul to Chicago and St. Louis is a strong probability. Should it come it will be the direct result of the agitation which has been in progress for some time over a change in the form of interchangeable mileage.

THE DEATH ROLL

William Mansel Datesman.

William Mansel Datesman, 46 years old, died at the residence of his father-in-law, James S. Laughlin, No. 6920 Hamilton avenue, yesterday morning. Mr. Mansel was a well-known insurance man, having an office in the Farmers Bank building. He has lived in Pittsburgh for the past two years. Previous to coming to Pittsburgh he was connected with insurance companies in New York, Philadelphia and other eastern cities. He had been ill about two weeks. Last Saturday he was stricken with apoplexy and was unconscious from then till his death. Mr. Mansel was born in Muncy, Pa., on March 2, 1857. His widow, Mrs. Minnie P. Datesman, and one son, Allen, survive.

Edward Frederick Cook.

Edward Frederick Cook, aged 62, one of the best known business men of Homestead, died at his home in Ninth avenue, that place, Sunday, of a complication of diseases. He was born in Huntingdon county, Pa., and moved to Homestead 16 years ago. He is survived by seven children: Vincent Cook of McDonald, Eugene Cook, East End; Mrs. Anna Stout, Duquesne; Katherine, Ambrose, Edward and Samuel, at home. Also by two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Giles, Richmond, Pa., and Mrs. Katherine Doyle, Altoona, and John Cook of Idaho. He was a member of St. Mary Magdalene's Catholic church, Homestead.

Joseph Saxton.

Joseph Saxton, aged 73 years, the last surviving uncle of Mrs. McKinley, died yesterday at Canton, O., of cerebrum anemia. He was one of the best known residents of Canton.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Harriet Menold, aged 25, died at New Castle, Pa.

Jerry D. Lindley of Washington, Pa., is dead, aged 85 years.

Binoni Clawson, a veteran of the civil war, is dead at Punxsutawney, Pa. He was a member of Company B, Seventy-fourth regiment.

Rev. F. S. Fahne, a native of York, Pa., died at Canton, O., yesterday. He served 50 years in the ministry and was chaplain of the Stark county infirmary and workhouse.

Miss Mary Breckenridge, 80 years old, is dead at the Home for Aged Women, Wilkinsburg, where she lived for the past four years. She was a former resident of Allegheny, and had no near relatives.

Mrs. Catherine Smith, 83 years old, widow of James Smith, a former prominent contractor of the South Side, is dead at the family home, No. 1118 Frederick street, where she lived for 53 years. Four sons survive.

Mrs. Christina Fry, one of the oldest residents of Greensburg, is dead, aged 81 years.

Michael Hall, aged 60, fell dead at the home of a neighbor near Salem, O. He formerly lived in Pittsburgh and was a civil war veteran.

Mrs. Jean Margaret Davenport Lander, widow of Gen. Frederick W. Lander, and known as an actress for two score years in this country and in Europe, is dead at her summer home at Lynn, Mass., at the age of 74 years.

"I'M FEELING BETTER," SAYS JOHN W. GATES

Denies That His Physical Condition Is Bad—Has Cut Out Poker, but Plays a Little Bridge Now and Then.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 3.—John W. Gates this afternoon denied the truth of the reports of his alarming physical condition which were spread through the country today.

"I am feeling better today than for four months," he said. The daring stock operator did not look like a man seriously ill, as was reported. He was smoking a long cigar and, although he has lost flesh the last year, it seems only to have brightened his eye and given buoyancy to his bearing.

Mr. Gates has lived quietly here the last few days. He has been out daily in his automobile. Today he took his wife and John A. Black to the track before the rush set in toward the course.

"I have been having a little intestine trouble," said Mr. Gates, "but the reports that I am seriously ill are nonsense. I have lost weight, but it is good for me."

It will surprise many to know that Mr. Gates' hand was not active in Wall street during the July flurry.

"I've paid no attention to Wall street for months, "said Mr. Gates.

"Since the Louisville & Nashville deal?" he was asked.

"Well, I won't say that," he answered smiling.

No poker either for Mr. Gates. "I have not played poker for nearly a year," he said: "I play a little bridge now and then, but not much of that."

Charley Gates and a party in another automobile accompanied his father to the races. Charley has a better looking car, but it is less speedy than the "old man's."

TYPHOID PATIENT COMMITS SUICIDE

GREENSBURG, W. VA., Aug. 3—(Special.)—Charles Beck, a German coal miner at Columbia mines, east of here, committed suicide last night on account of suffering from typhoid fever. While his wife was out of the house he shot himself.

FILTRATION IS AT STAND-STILL

Delayed by Absence of Director Bigelow, Who Has Postponed His Return.

HE MAY GO TO EUROPE

Reported He Will Not Be Back for Several Weeks—Controller Larkin Interested in Scheme to Get Pure Water Supply by Wells.

Twenty-two cases of typhoid fever were reported yesterday to the Pittsburgh bureau of health.

Work on filtration is at a standstill and will not be resumed until Director Bigelow returns to the city. The time of Director Bigelow's return is very uncertain, but his friends express the opinion that he will not be back until the latter part of August. It was reported Sunday that the director would be back yesterday, but he did not appear and no word was received from him.

A telephone inquiry at his residence last evening elicited the information that it was not known when the director would be back. It was stated yesterday by some parties, who claimed to know something about the director's plans, that he might carry out his original intention of going to Europe before coming back from his vacation. Mayor Hays yesterday was not able to give any information as to when the director would resume his official duties at the city hall.

Dr. J. P. Sterrett, who has authority to call a meeting of the special council committee on filtration, has stated, as published yesterday in The Gazette, that he would not issue a call until he had seen Director Bigelow. Dr. Sterrett said he had no idea when the director would be back.

From all indications the filtration committee would be considerably delayed by the absence of the head of the public works department. Estimates from the director are expected to be in the hands of councils at the first regular meeting in September, but if Mr. Bigelow keeps out of the city until next month the estimates will not be forthcoming at the time expected and may be delayed until late in the fall.

The payroll for the public works department has been made out, Mr. Bigelow signing it at Hot Springs, Va., and forwarding it by mail. He also sent the voucher for the technical school site to the controller by mail. This is taken as another indication that he does not contemplate an early return to the city.

Controller Larkin stated yesterday that he would investigate Bellevue's water supply before he started out to inspect filtration plants. He said he would make the investigation at the suggestion of Morrison Foster, who claims that Pittsburgh could get a pure water supply in the same manner as Bellevue, that is, by digging wells below the river bed. Mr. Foster claims that large pools of water filtered through the sand of the river bed lie underneath and can be easily tapped, as was done by Bellevue by sinking wells on Neville island.

PERSONALS

Members of the local councils of the Knights of Columbia and friends of the order yesterday returned from Put-in-Bay, where the anual outing was held last week. A large delegation came in last evening on a special train. By those who have returned to Pittsburgh it is estimated that nearly 1,200 persons from Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and New York attended the outing.

With a view of determining the value of Pennsylvania railroad stock as an investment, two prominent French bankers and brokers are now making an inspection of that road, being accompanied by David C. Green, a son of Vice President Green. The party arrived in Pittsburgh early yesterday morning from Buffalo, and the itenirary for the day included the most important industrial plants in this district. The distinguished Frenchmen upon landing in this country were taken in hand by Henry Peabody, a member of the banking firm of Boston by that name, and Mr. Peabody came to Pittsburgh yesterday with them. Private car No. 90 of Vice President Green is being used. The foreigners are Jean C. Tete and Alphonse Ourland. Supt. S. C. Long of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railroad, took charge of the party at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, and made a complete circuit of the city. The first stop was made at the plant of the Union Switch & Signal Company at Swissvale, and the next at the plants of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, where the visitors were guests of the Westinghouse officials at lunch. The special train was then run to the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston via Brinton, and the United States Steel Corporation plants at Homestead were inspected. Great interest was shown by the Frenchmen in the river interests, and many stops were made by the train on its way from Homestead to the Sheraden yards of the Panhandle. From that point the visitors were taken to the enormous yards of the Ft. Wayne at Conway via the Ohio connecting bridge, and thence to the West Penn through Allegheny. Herrs Island was the last place visited. "We had no idea there was such a place as Pittsburgh in America," said Monsieur Tete. "Of course, we had heard of it, but our conceptions were nothing as compared with real knowledge. The number of plants is simply amazing. I now little wonder at the great wealth of this part of Pennsylvania." As to the real object of their trip the Frenchmen would have nothing to say. They left here last night for Boston.

F. C. Smith, proprietor of the Victoria hotel, has taken a cottage on Chautauqua lake, which will be occupied during the summer by his family. Mr. Smith left here yesterday for the lake to get things in shape. He had expected a delay in the work of remodeling the Victoria on account of the general lock-out of workmen, but, strange to say, not one man stopped yesterday. Taking this as a good sign, Proprietor Smith packed his grip and quietly stole out of town.

W. H. Fowler, chief clerk at the Anderson hotel, has gone to his home in Kokomo, Ind., for a two weeks' visit. Before returning to the city he will visit several Canadian cities. He is accompanied by Mrs. Fowler.

O. L. Badger of Wheeling, W. Va., is at Newell's.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The nearby residents registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Newell's—W. H. Wright, Parkersburg, W. Va.; George Irwin, Bradford; John A. Hook, Youngstown, O.

Duquesne—H. P. Boyd, Parkersburg, W. Va.; F. L. Beebe, Youngstown, O.

Seventh Avenue—Mrs. R. S. Ballard, Charleroi; Mrs. Perry Douds and Miss Eva K. Douds, New Castle; J. Symons, Canton, O.; W. G. Long and C. J. Connors, New Martinsville, W. Va.

Anderson—H. B. Colberth, Butler; J. H. Pentz, DuBois.

Victoria—W. G. Tuckeis, Connellsville; F. C. Adams, Canton, O.; Louis Paul, Wheeling, W. Va.; H. S. Camp, Warren, O.; Harry Wilkins, Philadelphia; W. G. King, Latrobe.

Death Caused by Boy's Prank.

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Alice Mesh, a child of 7 years, died in St. Nicholas hospital today as a result of burns. Several children started a bonfire in a vacant lot in Sussex avenue. The boys were daring each other to run through the blaze, and it is alleged, one of them pushed the little girl into the fire for the fun of having her run through.

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DIED.

BEALE—On Sunday, August 2, 1903, at 3:30 a. m., at Cambridge Springs, Pa., HARRY C., son of James B. Beale of Ben Avon, Pa.

Funeral services at his late residence, Ben Avon, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Train leaves Allegheny, via Ft. Wayne railroad, at 12:15 p. m.; returning at 2:19 p. m., city time. Please omit flowers.

DATESMAN—On Monday, August 3, 1903, at 1:30 a. m., WILLIAM M. DATESMAN, in his 47th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his father-in-law, James S. Laughlin, No. 6920 Hamilton avenue, East End, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

[Philadelphia and Oil City (Pa.) papers please copy.]

GREENE—On Monday, August 3, 1903, at 4:30 a. m., DOROTHY GERTRUDE, daughter of Daniel H. and Katherine M. Greene, aged 6 months.

Funeral from parents' residence, 457 Biddle avenue, Wilkinsburg, on Wednesday morning. Interment private.

[Columbus (O.) papers please copy.]

HIGGINS—On Sunday, August 2, 1903, at 1:30 p. m., ROBERT LYTLE HIGGINS, in his 51st year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 534 West Jefferson street, Allegheny, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

LUFFMAN—On Monday, August 3, 1902, at 3 a. m., at Schenectady, N. Y., JOHN L. LUFFMAN.

Funeral from his late residence, Schenectady, on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

M'KENNA—On Monday, August 3, 1903, at 11:20 p. m., STEVEN A. M'KENNA, aged 69 years, at his residence, No. 42 Carver street, East End.

Notice of funeral later.

MOYLE—On August 3, 1903, DONALD CHARLES, infant son of Samuel and Mary Miller Moyle.

Services at the family residence, American and First avenues, Sheraden, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private Wednesday.

ROBERTSON—On Monday, August 3, 1903, at 9:15 p. m., at his residence, No. 7 Oakland square, JOHN H. ROBERTSON, aged 58 years.

Notice of funeral later.

SCHOPSER—On Sunday, August 3, 1903, at 10:40 p. m., CHARLES F. SCHOPSER, aged 33 years, 2 months, 15 days.

Funeral from his late residence, Undercliff, Shaler township on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Allegheny cemetery.

SWEENEY—On Monday, August 3, 1903, at 11:55 a. m., MILES SWEENEY, at his residence, No. 226 Madison avenue, Allegheny.

Funeral on Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem mass at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

THOMPSON—On Monday, August 3, 1903, at 10:15 a. m., JAMES THOMPSON, husband of Mary Elizabeth Thompson (nee Hatch), aged 65 years, 1 month, 2 days.

Funeral from his late residence in Shaler township, Allegheny county, Pa., on Wednesday, August 5, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Carriages will leave the office of H. J. Anderson, funeral director, 216 North avenue, Millvale, at 1 p. m.

WIGGINS—On Sunday, August 2, 1903, at 1:30 p. m., ROBERT LYTLE WIGGINS, in his 51st year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 534 West Jefferson street, Allegheny, last evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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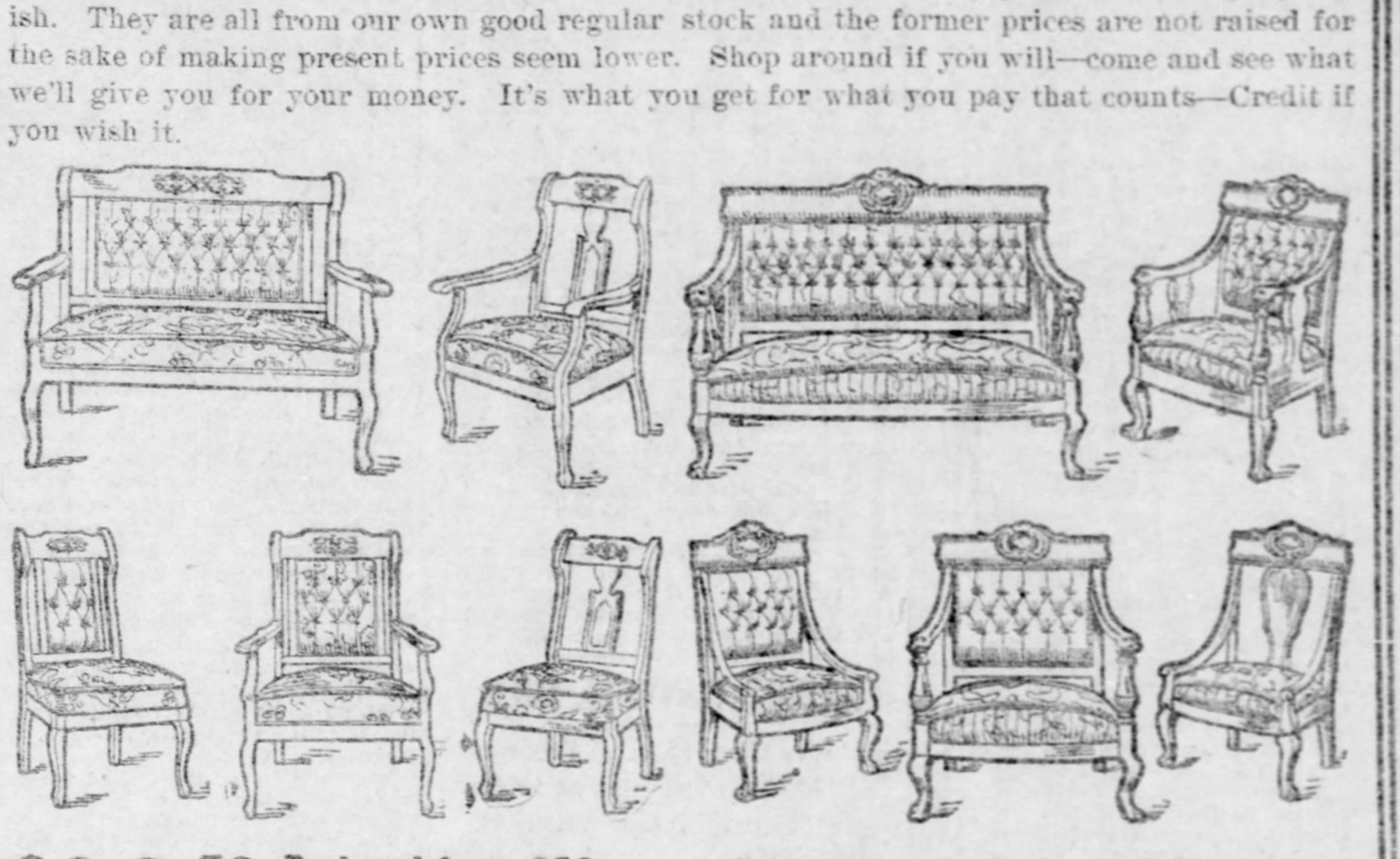

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BOLD ROBBERY AROUSES POLICE

People on Downtown Streets Treated to Display of Thief Catching.

WOMAN WAS THE VICTIM

Estella Rose Found Beaten, Chloroformed, Bound, Gagged and Robbed by Her Neighbors Last Night—Officers Set on Trail of Suspects.

Within less than two hours after one of the boldest robberies ever committed in Pittsburgh occurred, the police made a capture which will live in the records of the local police bureau for some time. The robbery occurred shortly after 10 o'clock last night, and the boldness with which it was planned and the manner in which the thieves worked stirred the police to activity and resulted in two men being arrested and locked in Central police station after a lucky pickup and exciting pursuit. The condition in which the victim of the burglars was found showed that they had carefully prepared for their work.

While Fifth avenue was crowded with pedestrians out in search of cool air, and the crowds coming from the opening night of downtown theaters, the people were suddenly startled and roughly jostled by two fleeing men followed by policemen. The excitement in the avenue attracted the attention of the corner officers, and these joined in the pursuit from Wood street and Smithfield street.

Robbers Used Chloroform.

Shortly after 10 o'clock the police in the downtown district were notified that a robbery had been committed at No. 1221 Clark street, which is in the hill district. Estella Rose had been overcome, gagged and bound in her home and robbed of a diamond-studded gold watch and about $51 in money. She was found lying unconscious on the floor in a room at her home by a neighbor and the hill police were notified.

After the woman had been set free and restored to consciousness it was discovered that the burglars had either used ether or chloroform on the woman, and when this had failed to work rapidly enough they had resorted to more violent means and struck her unconscious. The burglars evidently did not understand the use of the drug or did not care for results, as the woman's face was badly burned when the drug was applied to her mouth and nostrils.

Officer Matthew Bell was one of the officers instructed to look out for the burglars who, it was reported had started toward the lower end of the city. While passing Newell's hotel in Fifth avenue he recognized two men standing in the vestibule who answered the description given of the burglars. The men also recognized the officer.

Fled to Photograph Gallery.

Before officer Bell could come up with the men they had crossed the street and darted through the crowd into the hallway at No. 344 Fifth avenue. Other officers joined in the chase and the policemen were soon bounding up the steps of the building behind the fugitives.

When the top floor was reached Policemen Bell, J. D. Kinney, Joseph Williams and Detective George Cole found the hall empty. They learned from a photographer that two men had called at his studio a few moments before and requested that their pictures be taken at once. When he told them he could not accommodate them, they left the room immediately.

The officers separated, two of them going to the second floor in the rear. Here they found a man hiding in the dark and placed him under arrest. The other officer went to a window which stood open and through the darkness discovered the form of a man climbing down the skylight. He called upon the man to come back, and when he refused the officer secured a board and started to follow. Chance remained in favor of the man trying to escape, as the board on which the officer attempted to make the descent split, and he was compelled to return to the window ledge.

Fugitive Surrendered.

When he again called upon the man to return, the fugitive said he would providing the officer would not touch him. While the officer waited the man climbed back, and he was also handcuffed. Both men were taken to Central station and there they gave their names as R. G. Herron and George Mertz, and said that they live in McKeesport. When Mertz gave his name the officers laughed, but refused to say what name they know him by. Both men are charged with being suspicious persons.

When searched only the watch was found in their possession and the police believe that after Mertz discovered there was no way to escape, even if he succeeded in gaining the ground, that he hid the money somewhere along the skylight and then returned to the window through which he had gone.

The police say the men were waiting in Fifth avenue for an answer to a telegram they had dispatched, by which they hoped to throw suspicion on a Homestead man.

WAR AMONG ITALIANS.

Opposing Clans Have Battle in Railroad Tunnel—Leader Is Fatally Injured.

INDIANA, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—A race war is on at the new tunnel on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad, north of town, between the Calabrees, a clan from southern Italy, and the swarthy toilers from northern Italy, as a result of which Jimmy Calabano, a boss of the Calabrees, lies at the point of death from wounds received yesterday, and several others are severely hurt. Calabano's force, working at Reeds station, south of town, was divided Saturday and part of the men sent to work at the tunnel and live in the shanties with the other faction.

This started trouble, which was continued the next day, when work was suspended and the men had been drinking. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon a fierce battle was precipitated by the displaying of a knife by Calabano, who was knocked down during the progress of the fight, disarmed, and beaten into insensibility. Both factions are armed, and are now ready for a renewal of trouble.

MORE GOSPEL NEEDED IN SERMONS OF TODAY

"Practical preaching" was the subject of the paper read by the Rev. J. H. Main before the meeting of the Lutheran Ministerial association yesterday in the Trinity church, Stockton avenue and Arch street, Allegheny. He compared much of the pulpit effort of the day with what it should be, to a canal boat beside a steam or electrical engine. He said: "Many of our sermons lack force and vigor. We should have more gospel in our sermons; there is not enough of that."

Killed for Burglar by Mistake.

BAY CITY, MICH., Aug. 3.—Capt. Frank Wallace of a coasting schooner last night shot and killed George Tasker, one of the employes of the boat. Tasker arrived at the boat's landing unexpectedly at midnight, and entered the cabin through a window. Capt. Wallace thought Tasker was a burglar and shot him.

DROWNED WHILE HE WAS BATHING

Homestead Lad Lost His Life While Frolicking in the Monongahela.

MAD BULL CAUSED DEATH

Other Fatalities Demand the Attention of the Coroner—Inquests Held in Several Cases Yesterday at the New Morgue.

Andrew Masko, aged 13 years, was drowned in the Monongahela river near Munhall, during the heavy rainstorm yesterday afternoon. In company with a number of companions the lad was in bathing near the mouth of a run which flows from Munhall hollow. The creek soon reached a flood stage and it is thought the lad was unable to get out of the river in time to prevent being caught in the rush of water from the creek. His companions fled and notified the police at the Homestead steel works. A searching party was organized, but the body has not yet been recovered and it is thought to have been carried down the river.

Mrs. Mary Geiger, aged 50 years, of No. 4823 Dearborn street, was found dying in the hallway of her home at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. She expired about 20 minutes later. Deputy Coroner Campbell investigated the case and found death had resulted from apoplexy. Mrs. Geiger was discovered dying by a son, Louis, who was returning from work.

Dragged by a Mad Bull.

James Thompson, a farmer, aged 62 years old, whose home is near Millvale, in Shaler township, died yesterday morning as the result of being dragged into a ditch by a bull. He and his son James, and Jacob Scrag, left home with the bull Saturday night to take it to Scrag's slaughter house in Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny. The son lead the bull and his father and Scrag guarded against its rushes with ropes tied about the animal's legs.

When at Coal hill, in Ross township, at 11 o'clock, the bull refused to go any further. Thompson hit it with a club, and it jumped and dragged him into a ditch. After continuing for an hour along the road Thompson became sick, and started back home, arriving there at daybreak Sunday morning. He became unconscious soon after, and, despite the efforts of physicians, died. The physicians say he was internally injured.

Mrs. Sarah Snowden, 40 years old and colored, died yesterday afternoon at Mercy hospital, of burns received in a lamp explosion at her home in Scott street on Sunday.

Killed on the Railroad.

Mrs. Annie Hirshinger, aged 35 years, of No. 45 Steuben street, was instantly killed yesterday morning on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, while getting out of the way of a train. Accompanied by three or four other women, she went to the tracks to gather coal. While engaged at this she noticed a freight train approaching from the city. To allow it to pass she stepped from that track into the path of a fast approaching city bound train, which struck and instantly killed her. The woman's husband is Frank Hirshinger, employed at the LaBelle steel plant, Allegheny. Two children also survive.

Several inquests were held by Coroner McGeary yesterday in the new morgue building, the first to be held there. In the morning the coroner had all his papers and effects moved from the rooms he has used in the court house to the new building.

It was found that death was accidental in the case of the drowning of Harry and Joseph Brown, Edna Shipley and Frederick Boolge, the quartet who lost their lives last Tuesday in the Allegheny river when the new Herrs Island dam was opened.

Tarentum Citizens Protest.

The inquest into the death of John Simka, who died a few days ago at the West Penn hospital from heat prostration, brought forward a number of citizens from Tarentum who entered a vigorous protest against the manner in which he was allowed to suffer before receiving attention. Simka was a laborer and it was said that fellow workmen refused to have him taken to a hospital, when he was prostrated. Citizens of Tarentum, where the man was employed, testified they had had him taken to a hospital.

As a result of the inquest into the death of Clinton Banks, who was shot at a Fourth of July gathering of colored people at Borland, Jim Edwards, also colored, was yesterday held to await the action of the grand jury. King Lewis testified he saw Edwards fire the shot which killed Banks. Carrie Mills, the pretty mulatto girl who was the cause of the shooting, was called as a witness, but it developed that she was not present when the shooting took place.

WATER AND LIGHTNING.

Elements Do Much Damage in Turtle Creek, East Pittsburgh and Butler.

The heavy rainfall in the Turtle Creek valley about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon destroyed much property. There was also a severe electrical storm.

In Turtle Creek the homes of J. H. Love and W. H. Semmons were struck by lightning. There was considerable loss in each case. The waters rushing down from the hillside flooded the plant of the Pittsburgh Meter Company and a portion of the Westinghouse Company's plant at East Pittsburgh. In Britton the cellars and first floors of 25 houses were flooded.

FORTY-FIVE ARE ARRESTED FOR RIOTING AT BUFFALO

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 3.—A riot broke out in front of the Niagara elevator, in Ohio street, today, and as a result 45 Italians are under arrest and detectives are looking for more. No one was hurt; although scores of shots were exchanged. The fight took place between the employes of the Niagara elevator and Italians who are employed at the plant of the Buffalo Union Furnace Company. It is said it was provoked by an employe of the Niagara elevator, who shouted derisive epithets at the Italians as they were passing along the street.

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Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.

More than half a million dollars has been appropriated for six statues which are to be erected in Washington to military heroes, according to the annual report of Col. T. W. Symons, the engineer officer in charge of public buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia. The first one that will be dedicated is the Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman statue, which is to be erected just south of the Treasury building.

There has been quite a good deal of delay in the awarding of the contract for this statue. Its design was submitted by a sculptor named Carl Rohl Smith, but after he had completed his model, and was about getting ready for the real work on the statue, he died. Finally, however, his wife took charge of the matter and the Sherman statue will be erected under her supervision.

Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars have been appropriated for a monument to Gen. Grant in this city, which is to be erected on the west side of the capitol. Henry M. Shrady is the sculptor who designed the statue, a work of art that is to cost as much as all the other five projected statues combined. A statue is also to be erected to Gen. Philip H. Sheridan on Sheridan circle. This will cost in the neighborhood of $50,000.

No location has as yet been chosen for the McClellan statue, for which congress has appropriated $60,000, and a sculptor has not yet been selected. Statues to Baron von Steuben and Count Pulaski are to be erected in Washington at a cost of $100,000. Contracts have not yet been let for these statues, and locations have not yet been chosen.

It is a curious fact in connection with all the statues that have been erected by congress in this city, and that is that the city does not possess a single statue of Abraham Lincoln worthy of the name. There are two such statues in Washington, but neither of them can bear the name of a work of art. They are more like eyesores to the average Washingtonian, and many movements have been started from time to time for the purpose of erecting a suitable monument to the great liberator, but one thing or another has interfered to prevent their accomplishing the object sought.

CAPITAL INCREASED TO FIVE MILLIONS

YORK, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The stockholders of the York silk mills today voted to increase their capital stock from $1,800,000 to $5,000,000. The common stock was increased from $1,000,000 to $2,500,000, and the preferred stock from $800,000 to $2,500,000. The plant will be increased to exceed any in the county.

DOZEN SLEEPERS BLOWN OUT OF BED

Gas Explosion in a Rankin Store Rudely Awakens Hungarians from Slumber.

ALL WERE SLIGHTLY HURT

Report Was Startling and Caused Great Excitement—People Fled Panic-Stricken—Building Partially Wrecked and Caught Fire—Damage $2,000.

By the explosion of natural gas in the grocery store of Joseph Horne in Rankin last night a dozen Hungarians, sleeping over the business place, were thrown from their beds and slightly injured. The store was wrecked, causing a damage of $2,000.

The store room is in a three-story building in Second street, Rankin. The upper floors are occupied by many foreigners. The store was lighted by natural gas. About midnight there was an explosion, the cause of which is unknown. There was a terrific report. About a dozen Hungarians sleeping on the second floor were thrown from their beds, but none of the men was badly injured. All of the inmates were suddenly awakened and the foreigners fled panic stricken from the building.

The explosion blew out the doors and windows on the first floor and completely wrecked the store. The wreckage was set on fire, but the Rankin fire department was able to extinguish the blaze.

MAYOR CONNELL SUED.

Wealthy Coal Man to Prosecute Scranton Officials for Interference With Carie Nation.

SCRANTON, PA., Aug. 3.—William Law, a wealthy coal operator, today engaged Attorneys O'Brien & Martin, W. H. Jessup and W. W. Johnston to bring action against Mayor Connell and the city of Scranton for police interference with Carrie Nation when she attempted to speak last week.

Mr. Law says he was rudely handled by the police on the occasion of one of Mrs. Nation's four arrests. He says his action is not a personal one, but is solely actuated by motives of public good. He wants the courts to define the rights of free speech.

SERVIAN OFFICER IS TRAITOR TO COUNTRY

BELGRADE, Aug. 3.—A Servian officer has been arrested here on the charge of selling the mobilization plans to a foreign power. It is believed that he has several accomplices. A rigorous investigation is proceeding.

Two Boys Drowned While Bathing.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—William Selby, aged 13, and Harold Huber, aged 11, who lived in the southern section of the city, were drowned today in the lake at League Island park, while bathing. No one saw the accident, their clothes being found along the bank of the lake and this led to finding the bodies.

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Gov. Pennypacker, who is president of the Pennsylvania commission to the Louisiana purchase exposition, was present today at the opening of bids for the erection and furnishing of the Pennsylvania building at the St. Louis fair.

The bids were received at a meeting of the executive committee of the commission at the headquarters in the Real Estate Trust building. Others present were Chairman Henry F. Walton, James Pollock, William S. Harvey and Senator John C. Grady of this city; George T. Oliver of Pittsburgh and Senator William P. Snyder of Chester, all members of the committee, and Philip H. Johnson, the architect of the building.

Advertisements for bids had been published in a number of Pennsylvania newspapers and in St. Louis. The specifications for the construction of the building permitted of two bids, one under item No. 1 and the other under item No. 2, the latter being for more expensive material. The following bids were received, the lowest figures in each case being under item No. 1:

Dietrich & Bowser, $70,000 and $73,000, to be completed nin 110 working days; Doyle & Doak, 94,380 and $99,700, time, nine months, "subject to strike conditions;" Henderson & Co., $90,500 and $93,360, time, 220 days; W. S. P. Shields, $90,000 and $93,000, with a separate bid to construct and furnish the building complete, $99,164, time, 150 working days, all of Philadelphia, and Smith & Eastman Company of St. Louis, $94,250 and $97,163, time, five months.

On motion the contract was awarded to the lowest bidder, Diethich & Bowser of this city, for $73,000, with the understanding that the building shall be completed within 110 working days from the date of notice to begin work. This firm was employed by the citizens committee, which had charge of remodeling the exposition buildings in West Philadelphia to fit them up for the Republican national convention.

Five bids, all from Philadelphia, were received for furnishing the building according to the designs provided by Architect Johnson. They were from John H. Sanderson, whose bid was $13,498; Petry & Reid, with a bid of $14,875; W. S. P. Shields, $15,000; the library bureau, $15,768, and Strawbridge & Clothier, $20,377 02. On motion of Senator Grady, seconded by Senator Snyder, the contract was awarded to the lowest bidder, John H. Sanderson, for $13,498, with the stipulation that the work shall be completed within six months from the date of the execution of the contract.

George T. Oliver, from the committee on manufacturers, submitted a report of the work of his committee showing that manufacturers of Pennsylvania are taking a keen interest in the coming exposition; that a large number have already applied for space and that many more have the matter under consideration, and are expected to exhibit nearly every branch of the manufacturing industry as represented in the list of those who have already applied. Reports indicating that the work in other directions is progressing favorably were received.

Gov. Pennypacker seemed pleased with the manner in which the work of the commission is being pressed.

Pennsylvania Society Organized.

Gov. Pennypacker and his fellow members of the Pennsylvania commission to the Louisiana Purchase exposition, are elated over the enthusiasm manifested in the work of their commission by the members of the Pennsylvania society of St. Louis. This organization in the Exposition city of former residents of the Keystone state, promises to be an important factor in the presentation of the interests of Pennsylvania at the coming great international show.

Communications have been received within the last few days which indicate that prospective exhibitors and visitors to St. Louis will find that the members of the Pennsylvania society of St. Louis will be of invaluable service to many of them when they visit the exposition, or while preparing to make exhibits there.

Pennsylvania commissioners who have already visited St. Louis have been most hospitably received and lavishly entertained by members of the society and acquaintanceships have been formed which will be mutually advantageous.

Prominent Men Interested.

The membership of the society embraces many of the leading business and professional men and others of influence in St. Louis, and among them are a number who are prominently connected with the management of the exposition.

The president of the society, Col. George D. Reynolds, who is one of the leaders of the Missouri bar, and a former resident of Adams county, Pa., during the war enlisted in a Missouri regiment and after gallant service in the union cause was mustered out with the rank of colonel. One of the vice presidents, Judge E. A. Noonan, is a native of Reading, Pa., who, after leaving the Albany Law school, went to St. Louis, where he was twice elected to the office of district attorney, was twice elected judge of a state court and has served four years as mayor of St. Louis. Another vice president, Robert Buchanan, is a former resident of Crawford county, Pa., and is secretary of one of the leading printing and publishing companies in St. Louis. Among the other officers and members are many of like prominence.

Until the Pennsylvania building shall be opened many Pennsylvanians will make the rooms of the Pennsylvania society their headquarters in St. Louis.

Will Aid the Comission.

In a recent letter to the secretary of the executive committee of the Pennsylvania commission, President Reynolds said:

> Our society is connected with the work of the exposition, the members of the Pennsylvania auxiliary committee of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, being all members of our society. We stand ready to do anything we can here to aid your commission. You can correspond with me on all matters about which you want information here and can send any of your people here to me for any assistance your members or others may need locally.
>
> Moreover, you can appoint any meetings at or have mail come to my offices, No. 324 Roe building, St. Louis, just a block west of the Planters, or three blocks north of the Southern Hotel.

The headquarters of the Pennsylvania society are in the same building.

The other officers of the society are vice president, W. H. Miller; secretary, J. H. McCracken; treasurer, Isaac M. Mason; directors, E. R. Darlington, Edward D. Coe, B. F. Saylor, W. W. Davis and Joseph F. Wangler.

The society was organized as the outcome of a citizens committee of Pennsylvania residents in St. Louis to look after the Pennsylvania delegates to the Republican national convention held there on June 19, 1896.

In the permanent formation of the Pennsylvania society the purposes of the organization were declared to be:

> To promote social relations and friendly intercourse among former Pennsylvanians, resident in the state of Missouri, to welcome and encourage former citizens of Pennsylvania coming to this state; to establish a library and reading room; to welcome and entertain representative or distinguished citizens or visitors from Pennsylvania; to celebrate in becoming manner memorable occurrence in the state's history; to familiarize the members with prominent and leading events connected with the history and development of the "Keystone State," and generally to encourage and promote good fellowship and patriotism among the members and visitors of our city and state from the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

When the Louisiana Purchase exposition project was inaugurated members of the Pennsylvania society of St. Louis were among the prime movers in the undertaking and they have since been conspicuous in the direction of its affairs. The society is represented on the official staff of the exposition company by an auxiliary committee, consisting of George D. Reynolds, chairman; Joseph Ramsey, Jr., Smith P. Galt, Ben F. Saylor, F. Aug. Johann, Thomas M. McLean, William S. Fleming, Alexander G. Cochran, James E. Smith, George S. P. Johnson, William H. H. Miller, Joseph F. Wangler and James Hagen McCracken.

Members of the Pennsylvania society of St. Louis will co-operate with the members of the Pennsylvania commission in the arrangements for the observation of "Pennsylvania day" at the exposition.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

ARREST BLOCKED STREET.

Prisoner and His Friends Resisted a Humane Agent—Settled by Policeman.

The futile efforts of C. E. McPherson, an agent of the Humane society, to arrest Martin Marony in front of Alderman J. J. Kirby's office, in Penn avenue, last night, drew a large crowd of people and the street was blocked for several minutes.

Marony had just been fined $1 and costs by Alderman Kirby when McPherson attempted to arrest him on a charge of cruelty to animals, made before Alderman A. J. Brinker of Allegheny. A friend of Marony was willing to go on his bond for his appearance at a hearing, but Marony refused to sign the bond. McPherson then attempted to arrest him and this was resisted by several of Marony's friends. A fight followed, in which McPherson drew his handybilly and was about to use it when Alderman Kirby interfered and advised him to put it back in his pocket. Policeman Fred Ballack arrived at the scene at this juncture and took Marony to the station house. He will be turned over to the Humane society this morning.

It is alleged that Marony abused a horse in the Eighteenth street produce yards and grew profane when a woman remonstrated.

LIGHT PLANTS PLENTIFUL.

Census Bureau's Report Shows 3,619 Establishments in United States.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The census bureau has issued a preliminary report on the electric light and power plants of the United States for the year ended June 30, 1902. This report includes central stations only. It does not include isolated plants, plants operated by electric railway companies, or plans that were idle or in course of construction.

It shows a total of 3,619 establishments, of which 2,804 are private and 815 are municipal. The cost of all the plants was $502,181,511, of which $22,020,473 were municipal. The earnings from operation were $83,585,410, of which $78,748,554 were from private establishments.

Infant Badly Crushed.

Mary Karpovitch, aged 2 years, daughter of Ignace Karpovitch, a Pole living in Muriel street, South Side, was knocked down and run over by a heavy sand wagon yesterday afternoon and so badly injured that it is not thought she can recover. The child was playing in the street. J. H. Reed, colored, the driver, was later arrested, charged with being responsible for the child's injuries.

Engineer Crushed to Death.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—An engine and caboose were wrecked at Fawvers, near Martinsburg, W. Va., this morning, by running through a derailing switch, and Engineer Jacob Mouse of South Cumberland was crushed to death under the engine, which toppled over into a field. Fireman A. C. Walters of Cumberland was scalded. Engineer Mouse was 40 years old.

BABES KILLED; SOLD TO FEED STARVING

Horrible Conditions in Famine-Stricken China. Hundred Thousand Starving to Death in One City—Pirates Raid for Human Food.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Paris, Aug. 3.—A correspondent of Le Figaro gives the following graphic description of the famine in China in a letter dated from Long Tcheon, near the frontier of the French Indo-China:

"What I have seen and still see here every day is beyond the power of my pen to describe. Whole villages have been transformed into shambles. Murder and rapine is everywhere. The streets of Taiping-Fou are filled with human bodies, and as you walk along the roads you see hundreds of miserable beings who are suffering terrible pains. The whole country is a vale of tears, mothers are murdering their babies before committing suicide themselves. The whole plain of Si-King is filled with bodies, which emit a terrible stench. At Long-Tcheon, where I write this letter, the most heartrending atrocities are committed. The pangs of hunger have made the people raving maniacs. The ground is covered with dead bodies. One hundred thousand persons are slowly starving to death in this city alone.

"As I look from my window down toward the river my eyes rest upon a pack of dogs tearing to pieces the emaciated body of a poor coolie. From the interior come reports of the most incredible circumstances which I should refuse to believe if I did not see right here every day babies killed and their flesh sold by the pound. Kiang-Tcheon was a few days ago attacked by pirates, who killed every man, woman and child in the village and their bodies are now sold here to be devoured by those who can afford to pay."

AMUSEMENT MUST STOP ON SUNDAY

Philadelphia's Mayor Determined to Enforce Law at Parks.

NOT NECESSARY RECREATION

Chief Executive Says His Administration Has Sufficient Force to Permanently Shut Up Festivities on the First Day of the Week.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Public Ledger Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug. 3.

Mayor Weaver's movement against violators of the ancient Sunday closing law, which has culminated in the general shutting up of amusements in the suburban parks on the first day of the week, is, according to a statement made by the mayor today, an illustration of the administration's Titanic strength. The law, which was bowed with years, having been brought into existence in the 18th century, had almost expired of the senile decay which threatened its green old age in the 20th century, when it was lately rejuvenated.

Asked why the aggressive measures were being taken against the pleasure parks, the mayor echoed:

"Aggressive? The closing of the amusements in the parks was simply to show these people that this administration has force enough to have its orders obeyed. Early in the summer I had these people notified to close. They thought they could continue to break the law and be arrested and pay a $4 fine. But I have ordered them closed, and this administration will show them that it has the force to see its orders carried out.

"I cannot give you an opinion on the law. It is still on the books as the law and it will be enforced."

"Many thousands who have no other day to enjoy themselves look for that recreation on Sunday," it was suggested. Are these people to be deprived of amusement?"

"They can get their recreation going to and returning from these places," prescribed the mayor.

"Do you not think recreation is just as necessary for the happy enjoyment of life as food?"

"No, I do not," returned the mayor, who then interviewed the reporter.

"Are not these amusements carried on for profit?" inquired the mayor.

"Certainly," was the answer. "But the people who visit the parks appear to be satisfied to pay for the amusement, if they can get it."

"Well, they will be that much in pocket now," returned the mayor, who added: "Another thing, the people who operate those amusements must work on Sunday."

"So do the police," it was insisted.

As his secretary was apprehensive lest the mayor should miss his train, the interview came to a close by Mr. Weaver declaring that the amusement people in the parks had virtually defied the administration, but that he was determined to show them that orders issued by this administration had sufficient force behind them to make them effective.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

Arrested for Abusing His Daughter.

Patrick Murphy of Fifty-fifth street was fined $10 and costs by Alderman C. F. Oyer last night on a charge of cruelty to his 16-year-old daughter, made by Agent H. S. Shaw of the Humane society. Murphy, it was alleged, abused the girl while she was attending her invalid mother.

COLOR LINE IS DRAWN IN NAVY

Negro Sailors to Be Eliminated from Service as Soon as Possible.

WHITE TARS MAKE A KICK

Object to Having Black Men at the Mess—About Five Hundred Men Will Be Effected—Ruling Won't Embrace Army.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.

The negro is no longer to be a part of the United States. He is to be quietly, but effectively eliminated. Hereafter it is to be the policy of the recruiting agencies of the navy to discourage the enlistment of black men for service on American war vessels. A system of elimination is to be instituted, and while it is to be put into operation gradually, it will eventually weed out every negro serving before the mast, and the enlisted force of the navy will be composed exclusively of white men.

There are now about 20,000 enlisted men in the navy. It is estimated that about 500 of these men are black. It is probable that only a few enlistments of negroes will be made during the next three of four years, and as soon as the terms of those now serving expire they will be allowed to go. Thus the number leaving the service will be greater than those entering it, and in time all the negroes will disappear.

The white enlisted men object especially to being obliged to mess with the negroes on board ship. They also object to other forms of service which compel them to regard the negroes as their equals in every respect. From time to time there have been grumblings and evidences of discontent and officers of the service have come to the conclusion that it would be in the interests of good order and discipline to organize a white navy and allow the blacks to go.

There are about 5,000 enlisted negroes in the army, but the conditions in army and navy are not alike. In the army the negroes do not serve in the same regiments as the whites. They have organizations of their own in the infantry and cavalry.

Pittsburghers at Wilmington.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The Rev. D. A. McClenahan, D. D., professor in the Allegheny Theological seminary, is spending the summer at New Wilmington, accompanied by his family. Other Pittsburgh people here are Dr. James A. Van Orsdell, Walter M. Lindsay, Judge John D. Shafer, Mr. and Mrs. George H. MacFarland and the Rev. G. W. Baldinger.

Laundry Wagon Driver Arrested.

E. T. Mills of Shakespeare street was arrested last evening on a charge of embezzlement made by Thomas L. Pfarr of the Pfarr Laundry Company, Walnut street. Mills was a driver of a laundry wagon and it is alleged he collected and kept $43. He will be given a hearing before Alderman E. C. Negley this evening.

McMahon Wants to Quit.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—James McMahon, president of the Blast Furnace Workers' union, has announced his determination not to be a candidate for another term. He has been at the head of the organization since its conception.

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CATHOLICS GET DOWN TO WORK

Committees Named by Federation in Session at Atlantic City.

LETTERS OF REGRET READ

Resolutions Denouncing Socialism, Mob Rule and Lynch Law to Be Presented Before an Adjournment of the Society Takes Place.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Young's Ocean Pier.
ATLANTIC CITY, PA., Aug. 3.

The American Federation of Catholic Societies held a short business session in Odd Fellows hall this morning. Letters expressing regret at the inability to be in attendance at the convention were read from President Roosevelt, Governor Murphy, Senators John Keen and John F. Dryden, apostolic secretary of Cardinal Gibbons in Baltimore, Archbishop Elder, Cincinnati; Archbishop Farley, New York; Bishop Muldoon, Chicago; Bishop Hogan, Kansas City, and many other prominent persons.

Committees on resolutions, constitution, rules and regulations and finance were appointed by the president. The principal resolutions to be adopted by the convention will touch upon the educational system in this country, the discrimination against Catholic teachers in the Philippines, a protest against the laxity of divorce laws in some of the states, Socialism, deploring the spread of mob rule and the lynch law, and memorial resolutions in honor of Pope Leo, Archbishop Katzer and First Vice President L. J. Kaufman.

Before assembling in convention this morning the delegates attended the celebration of solemn pontifical mass of requiem for his holiness, Pope Leo XIII., at St. Nicholas' church. The celebrant was Bishop Sebastian G. Messmer, bishop of Green Bay. The presiding bishop was Bishop McFaul of Trenton.

The letter of President Roosevelt to President Minehan is as follows:

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 27.

My Dear Sir—I have received your letter and also have spoken personally about the matter with Bishop McFaul. I regret greatly that it is out of my power to accept your very kind invitation. I believe most heartily in the work you are doing in your American Federation of Catholic Societies and it would have been a pleasure to have accepted your invitation.

I am well aware of what your society has accomplished for the social betterment, not only of Catholics but all people in promoting the unification and naturalization of our countrymen and in working for morality and decency, especially in the intimate home relations upon which rests the ultimate well being of the entire state. Wishing you all success and congratulating you on what you have done in the past,

I am, with great regard, sincerely yours,
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.
W. C. LITTLE.

PORTUGUESE CABINET VISITS THE BROOKLYN

Admiral Cotton Entertained National and Municipal Officials on His Flagship.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LISBON, Aug. 3.—The marquis of Alvito, the king's chamberlain, has invited Rear Admiral Cotton and United States Minister Bryan to spend Thursday at his chateau of Alvito.

Shortly after noon today the members of the Portuguese cabinet and the military and civil authorities here, the former in undress uniform and the latter in frock coats, proceeded in naval barges across the harbor to the Brooklyn, Admiral Cotton's flagship, on board of which an exquisite menu had been prepared for the luncheon to be given in their honor. Rear Admiral Cotton and United States Minister Bryan, with the chief officers of the American squadron, received the guests at the gangway.

The band of the Brooklyn played Portuguese airs and the American warships flew the Portuguese flag at the mainmast.

Among the guests of Admiral Cotton at lunch on the Brooklyn were the ministers of war, justice, finance and public works; Dr. Cunha, the civil governor of Lisbon; Admiral Castilho, director of the Naval school; Admiral Ferreira Do Armel, inspector of the arsenal; Capt. Borja, chief of the naval general staff, and Gen. Craveiro Lopes, commander of the First army corps. The premier was not present, having been called to Switzerland, where his wife is lying ill.

At the conclusion of the luncheon Admiral Cotton proposed the health of King Charles of Portugal. In replying Gen. Permintal Pinto, minister of war, proposed the toast of "President Roosevelt and the prosperity of the United States."

United States Minister Bryan then spoke. The minister of marine responded, speaking in flattering terms of the American navy.

The guests remained on the Brooklyn until 4 p. m., when they returned in barges to the city.

President Roosevelt's cablegram in reply to the message from King Charles, which is published today by the Portuguese newspapers, has created an excellent impression here.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 3.—In response to a message from the king of Portugal, announcing that he had had the pleasure of drinking to the president's health and to the prosperity of the American navy on board the cruiser Brooklyn at Lisbon, President Roosevelt sent the following cablegram:

"Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 3, 1903.

"His Majesty, the King of Portugal, Lisbon—I most cordially reciprocate your majesty's greeting, seeing in the friendly occasion which prompts it a renewed proof of the good will which unites the two countries and peoples.

(Signed) "THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

HELD JUST THE SAME.

Man Said His Wife Tried New Woman Game and He Beat Her.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Thomas Duffy appeared in court today charged with beating his wife. "She tried the new woman game on me," explained Duffy.

"That's a new excuse," said the magistrate. "What do you mean?"

"She went out and left me to take care of the children," Duffy explained.

"And so you blackened her face and closed her left eye?" exclaimed the magistrate. "Five hundred dollars bail."

Contractors Must Hurry Up.

The High school committee of the Allegheny board of school controllers met last night and passed a resolution authorizing Secretary George W. Gerwig to notify the contractors that the work on the main stairway in the old building must be completed by September 1 next. The contract for decorating the annex was awarded to The Art Metal Construction Company at $8,400. The resignation of Miss Edith Morgan, assistant teacher in the commercial department, was accepted.

Baby Was Barred from Jail.

Mary Stump and Annie Sanes were committed to jail last night by Alderman David Thomas for peddling notions without a license in the Woods Run district. The women are Syrians and live in Basin alley. When their friends heard they were a dozen of them went to jail, one carrying a baby belonging to one of the prisoners, but Warden Lewis would not receive the infant.

A Cheap Trip North.
Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh Railway.

Every Tuesday during August and September the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh Railway sells round trip tickets, good 15 days, at $7.45 to Niagara Falls, and $8.90 to Toronto, Ont. Free reclining chair cars on 9 a. m. train; Pullman sleepers on 9:30 p. m. train. Ticket offices, 504 Smithfield street, and Pittsburgh and Western Depot, Allegheny.

ASK GEN. MILES TO HEAD GRAND ARMY

Maryland Delegation Offers Him Their Support for Commander.

MAY RUN ON HARMONY PLANK

Contest Between Two Candidates Is Now Extremely Bitter and in Miles, Friends See a Reasonable Chance for Peace.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.

Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles has been mentioned for the position of commander of the G. A. R. Gen. Miles will accompany the department of Maryland to San Francisco as its guest. The Maryland department will leave Baltimore next Sunday, and stand ready to back Gen. Miles should he have any aspirations in that direction.

Upon retirement from the army next Saturday, Gen. Miles will have plenty of time, his Maryland friends urge, to attend to the duties of commander-in-chief. Among other things Gen. Miles did was to put Jefferson Davis in irons. He is a Grand Army veteran with a record of actual service which no one has ever questioned.

The Maryland department will leave for San Francisco on a special train next Sunday morning. Gen. Miles has said nothing that would indicate a desire on his part to become head of the Grand Army upon his retirement, but the enthusiasm which his acceptance of the Marylanders' invitation aroused, caused a sudden boom to set in his direction.

The contest between Gen. John C. Black of Illinois and ex-Gov. Buckley of Connecticut has become bitter, and partisans of the two leading candidates are showing an aggressiveness which has made some of the more conservative members of the Grand Army question the advisability of electing either.

Gen. Miles, if presented, will be urged as a harmonizer. Unless it becomes certain that he will win it is not probable that he will consent to the use of his name. But if influential Grand Army influences want him he can be considered as a solution of a probable deadlock.

GILL AND GROSVENOR LOSE COMMITTEE FIGHT

State Organization Decides Factional Contentions in Two Ohio Counties.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 3.—Congressmen Gill and Grosvenor lost their cases before the Republican state executive committee today. The questions related to the recognition of rival central committees in Monroe and Hocking counties. In the former contest, the so-called Mallory-Mooney, or Citizens faction, was successful, in the latter, the faction headed by John F. White won its cause.

The victory of Gen. Dick, chairman of the state committee, over Congressman Gill in the Monroe county case is especially important, for it means that Gill's enemies will name the Monroe county delegation to the congressional convention which will nominate his successor. The state committee's action will also result in the appointment of M. O. Edwards, an anti-Gill man, as deputy state supervisor of elections in this county.

The rejection of the claims of Grosvenor's committee in Hocking county, in favor of that controlled by White, was unanimous. There are those who believe the state committee's action heralds the beginning of the end of Grosvenor's power in his congressional district.

Much interest was aroused in Democratic circles today by the announcement that W. J. Bryan will visit John L. Zimmerman at Springfield Wednesday. Zimmerman represents the conservative wing of the party and it is believed Bryan will attempt to persuade him to withdraw as a candidate for governor in Tom L. Johnson's favor.

PREACHER BELIEVES IN LIQUOR IN CHURCHES

Novel Idea Suggested by Rector of Leading Episcopal Church of Cincinnati.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

DELAWARE, O., Aug. 3.—The Rev. Charles Spicer, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, Cincinnati, says that in his opinion the time is coming when there will be liquor served in churches in order to appease the appetites of those who otherwise cannot keep away from the saloon. He says that the time is fast approaching when people interested in religious work must furnish such social environments to the world that will bring people closer to the church.

If he were to build a church after his own idea, he would have a gymnasium complete in all its proportions where exercises and amusements could be participated in at any time by all who choose. In another department of the church he would have pool tables and nearby a reading room.

He realizes that the church today is not coming in contact with the masses and there is a growing and pressing need of reaching them through the social features which he holds are enjoyed at the saloon, where acquaintances and friends meet and spend their leisure hours. Mr. Spicer says it is not so much of a battle against the liquor habit as it is a fight for some suggestion that will invite people away from the saloons and get them into the church or nearer its influences.

BERKS COUNTY IS FOR ROOSEVELT

READING, PA., August 3.—(Special.)—Berks county will start the ball rolling for the nomination of President Roosevelt for a full term by indorsing his candidacy in the strongest terms, and instructing the delegates chosen to support him in the next national convention. County Chairman George W. Billman has issued a call for a meeting of the Republican county committee next Saturday for the purpose of fixing the time of holding the primaries and county convention.

Failed to Make a Quick Change.

Rodo Perets, an Italian, whose address is unknown, was arrested yesterday on a charge of larceny. He went to a clothing store conducted by A. Rosenthal at South Twenty-sixth street and Carson streets and selected a pair of trousers. As there was no place in the store for the man to make a change, he went into a saloon next door. While there he tried to escape without paying for the garment, but he was caught by Rosenthal.

Next Atlantic City Excursion August 6. Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Fare $10, round trip; tickets good in coaches only. $2 additional for tickets good in parlor or sleeping cars when presented in connection with proper Pullman tickets. Special trains leave Baltimore & Ohio station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh, 8 a. m. and 6:30 and 9 p. m. Better accommodations can be secured by purchasing tickets in advance at city ticket office, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, or 506 Smithfield street.

News of Nearby Towns and Country

UNSUCCESSFUL BIDDERS TRY TO UPSET CONTRACT

New Turn in Westmoreland Court House Matter—Offer to Reduce Cost.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 3.—Another sensation was created in the new court house matter today when Caldwell & Drake of Columbus, Ind., telegraphed the board of county commissioners that revised bids from quarrymen and sub-contractors would enable them to build the new court house for $872,300, or $57,000 less than the bid for Miller & Sons, the Pittsburgh firm awarded the contract.

It is understood that the old bid of Caldwell & Drake includes the changes and omissions in the original plans ordered by the county commissioners, embracing work amounting to nearly $160,000. Caldwell & Drake say they will save the county over $200,000. The contract for the new structure is now with the judges of the common pleas court and it is believed will be approved. Caldwell & Drake have figured in all of the bidding.

They were awarded the contract when bids were opened the second time, but the contract was not approved by the court, sensational charges of jobbery having been made. At the third opening they were again the lowest bidders, but all the bids were regarded as excessively high and were rejected. At the fourth opening of bids Caldwell & Drake were more than $100,000 above their third bid.

TWO FAMILIES FIGHT.

Man and Wife Arested for Assaulting Another Couple.

MONESSEN, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—William Sharp and wife, Fannie Sharp, and Henry Williams, all of Webster, were arrested here today on a charge of felonious assault with intent to kill. The charge was made by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sager of Webster. The Sharps and Williams are alleged to have atacked Mr. and Mrs. Sager with clubs and other weapons.

Both were badly cut about the head and body and are in a serious condition. Chief of Police Cooper has received word from the Fayette county authorities that Sharp is wanted there to answer to a charge of shooting. They were sent to jail in default of $500 bail each.

MINERS' STRIKE CONTINUES.

Men at Red Ash Decline to Accede to Leaders' Demands.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 3.—The strike at the Red Ash colliery may develop into a protracted struggle. The miners have been out for 12 days and the leaders of the United Mine Workers have informed them that they would not sanction their course, and for that reason they could not give them any support under the existing circumstances.

Notwithstanding, the strikers refuse to return to work until the officials of the mine reinstate the employe discharged by one of the mine bosses. In order to get themselves right before the public the strikers have made an official statement.

WATER CLAIMS TWO VICTIMS.

Rochester Man Drowned at Wharf. Steamer Hand Fell Overboard.

ROCHESTER, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Thomas Tosch, 30 years old, employed on No. 6 dam, was drowned in the Ohio river, near the wharf at Rochester, last night at midnight. He was with the excursion to East Liverpool. The body was not found until this morning.

WASHINGTON, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Harry Bush, aged 19, of Scenery hill, was thrown overboard and drowned at Monongahela Sunday while attempting to draw a bucket of water on the steamer Cadet. He was not missed until the boat had gone 200 yards further.

Candidate for Supreme Court.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Frank Cox, a practicing member of the bar here for 20 years, today formally announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination to the supreme court of appeals to succeed Judge M. H. Dent, whose term expires January 1, 1905.

Catholics Elect Superior.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Brother Raphael has been elected superior and Brother Jerome assistant superior of the Roman Catholic Order of the Brotherhood of St. Francis.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

UNIONTOWN, PA.—The Frey glass cutting plant, which closed down in June, is now being dismantled and moved to Morgantown, W. Va.

LISBON, O.—Park Greenamyer, aged 47 years, committed suicide at Columbiana by shooting himself through the head in an insane frenzy.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.—Miss Adda Mumma and Chester Burns, a young Baltimore & Ohio railroad engineer, were married at Cumberland, Md.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.—John Marsica and family of South Connellsville are under the care of a physician as the result of eating toadstools for mushrooms.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Robbers at Wampum broke into the stores of Joseph Stiglitz, Henry Willoughby and the Hotel Stapf. The hotel lost considerable jewelry.

GREENSBURG, PA.—Rev. John F. Bair of the Reformed church has resigned his charge at Edgewood and will become pastor of the First Reformed church of Ligonier.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—As a result of the trouble between the Pennsylvania engineering works and the members of the local union of electrical workers, nearly all departments of the plant are idle.

LISBON, O.—Damage suits aggregating $35,000 were filed here against the United Power Company of East Liverpool by four persons who have been injured in accidents. Jennie and Anna Hallam ask $20,000 each, William Jackson $10,000, and Herbert Smith, $5,000.

Shirtwaist Sale

A generous stock of stylish, perfect fitting wash waists—
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FAMINE OF TEACHERS EXISTS IN THE CENTRAL COUNTIES

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 3.—School boards throughout Central Pennsylvania are having difficulty in securing a quota of teachers for the next term. In this county, in all the districts, the meetings for the election of teachers have already been held, yet in almost every district there are vacancies. In Cambria county many good positions are going begging, while in Indiana there is a veritable teachers' famine.

In one district in Blair county, Juniata township, the board met to elect teachers without having a single applicant, and is advertising for teachers. Vacancies for which there are no applications exist in Logan, Hudson, Frankstown and Greenfield townships. Supt. Jones of Cambria county says he has a number of positions paying from $75 up for which he wants applications.

KILLED HER HUSBAND WITH WINCHESTER

Used Rifle With Deadly Effect After Several Shots Had Been Fired at Her.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MATEAN, W. VA., Aug. 3.—William Adair, a prosperous farmer and timber dealer, was shot and killed last night by his wife in front of their home on Pigeon creek, this county. Adair, who had been in Cincinnati disposing of some timber, returned here rather unexpectedly and found his wife away from home. He went in search of her and, finding her in the home of a neighbor, became jealous.

Pulling a revolver from his pocket he fired three shots at her. All the shots went wild.

Mrs. Adair ran into her house, seized her husband's Winchester and returned to the yard just as he was entering the gate. He attempted to escape by running toward the woods nearby, but a bullet from the Winchester in the hands of the infuriated woman laid him low. He fell to the ground mortally wounded and died soon afterwards. The woman rode horseback to Williamson, where she surrendered and is now in jail. Mrs. Adair comes from one of the wealthy families of Mingo county. She will enter a plea of self-defense, as she claims she saw her husband reloading his revolver and she realized he meant to kill her as soon as he entered the house.

SHAVERS AND HAIR CUTTERS IN SESSION

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The National League of Barbers opened a three days' session here today. About 100 delegates were present. President A. J. Schickling of Philadelphia called the delegates to order. They spent the entire day revising the constitution and bylaws. It is the intention of the National league to take in New York with 8,000 members, Delaware and other states.

Took Husband for Burglar.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Mrs. Daugherty, residing at No. 31 South Mercer street, caused the arrest of her husband for burglary, mistaking him for a robber when she awoke at 2 o'clock in the morning to see him crawling up on the roof of a one-story addition in the rear of the dwelling. She sent for the police. The husband said he had simply tried to crawl into the house without awakening the family.

DEMOCRATS PUT UP TICKET

Lively Time at Cambria County Convention — Fight Over Committee Chairmanship.

EBENSBURG, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The Democratic convention met today to nominate a county ticket and select delegates to the state convention. For sheriff Samuel W. Lenhart of Johnstown was nominated on the second ballot over H. Bracken of Gallitzin; poor director, Isaac N. Wissinger, Blacklick township; jury commissioner, Albert Hines of Iveson.

The first fight was for chairman between J. B. Denny and Editor Thomas Osborne. Feeling was running at a high pitch and threatened to disrupt the convention when the leaders of the two factions patched up a truce whereby J. B. Denny is the nominal chairman, but it is believed will not perform the duties.

Delegates to the state convention are: Thomas T. Sheridan, Conemaugh; James J. Henry, Carrolltown; Homer Bailey and Conrad Gethue, Johnstown; John McCormick, Spangler; Daniel Harper, Lilly; H. G. Gooderham, Carrollton township, and O. J. Deemer, Gallitzin.

Resolutions denouncing the Salus-Grady libel bill were adopted. The national administration was scored for the postal scandal. The resolutions declared against the granting of special privileges and public franchises without any monetary consideration.

STATE GUARD IN CAMP.

West Virginia Brigade Assembles With United States Regulars. Sergeant Fatally Injured.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Aug. 3.—The brigade encampment of the West Virginia national guard will begin here tomorrow morning at Camp Elkins, named for United States Senator Elkins. The troops are all here, 1,000 strong. Two companies of the Ninth United States infantry will camp with the troops.

Brigadier General C. E. Smith is unable to be present, owing to sickness, and Col. C. E. Morrison of Parkersburg is in command. Sergeant W. W. Woodall of Charleston fell under the car wheels while on his way here and lost a leg. He may die.

Died at Age of 99.

CLEARFIELD, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—John McCorkel, 99 years old, died here last night. He was active in business up to within a few weeks.

WOMAN'S ESCORT SHOT BY A POLICEMAN

Officer Stopped Couple in Street and Quarrel Ensued. Man Fatally Wounded.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 3.—Policeman J. C. McClune of Bolivar is in jail here for felonious assault and battery, but this charge may be changed to murder. His victim, Robert Kuhn, lies dying at his home in Bolivar from a wound inflicted by a 32-caliber revolver. Early yesterday morning McClune met Kuhn and Mrs. Mary Roddy on the streets of Bolivar. He inquired why they were not at their homes.

Kuhn is said to have made an angry retort, when, it is alleged, the policeman struck him on the head with his mace. In the struggle that ensued McClune is said to have drawn his revolver and fired, the ball entering Kuhn's abdomen. The woman started to run and McClune is alleged to have shot after her. Kuhn was carried to his home and has since been in an unconscious condition.

Policeman McClune came to Greensburg this morning and gave himself up. An information was made against him by Constable Jacob West of Bolivar. An effort is being made to have McClune released on bail. Kuhn is 55 years old and has a wife and family.

Masked Negro Assaulted Girl.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—An attempted assault was made upon the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kremer of near Hopwood, this morning, by a negro who had his face hidden by a large handkerchief. The screams of the child attracted neighbors who rescued the girl. Henry Walker was later arrested as a suspect.

Boys Run Off to West.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The police of cities throughout the country have been notified to watch for Richard Ryan, 15-year-old son of County Poor Director Thomas Ryan, and William Fretts, son of D. D. Fretts, a prominent business man of Connellsville. The boys have been missing from home since Saturday. It is suppose they have gone west.

Asthma & Hay Fever Cured.

The truly marvelous cures of Asthma which are being effected by Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma Cure certainly call for notice.

Rev. G. L. Taylor, of Washburn, Ill., says: "Some 7 years ago my wife used several packages of your Asthma Cure which resulted in a permanent cure."

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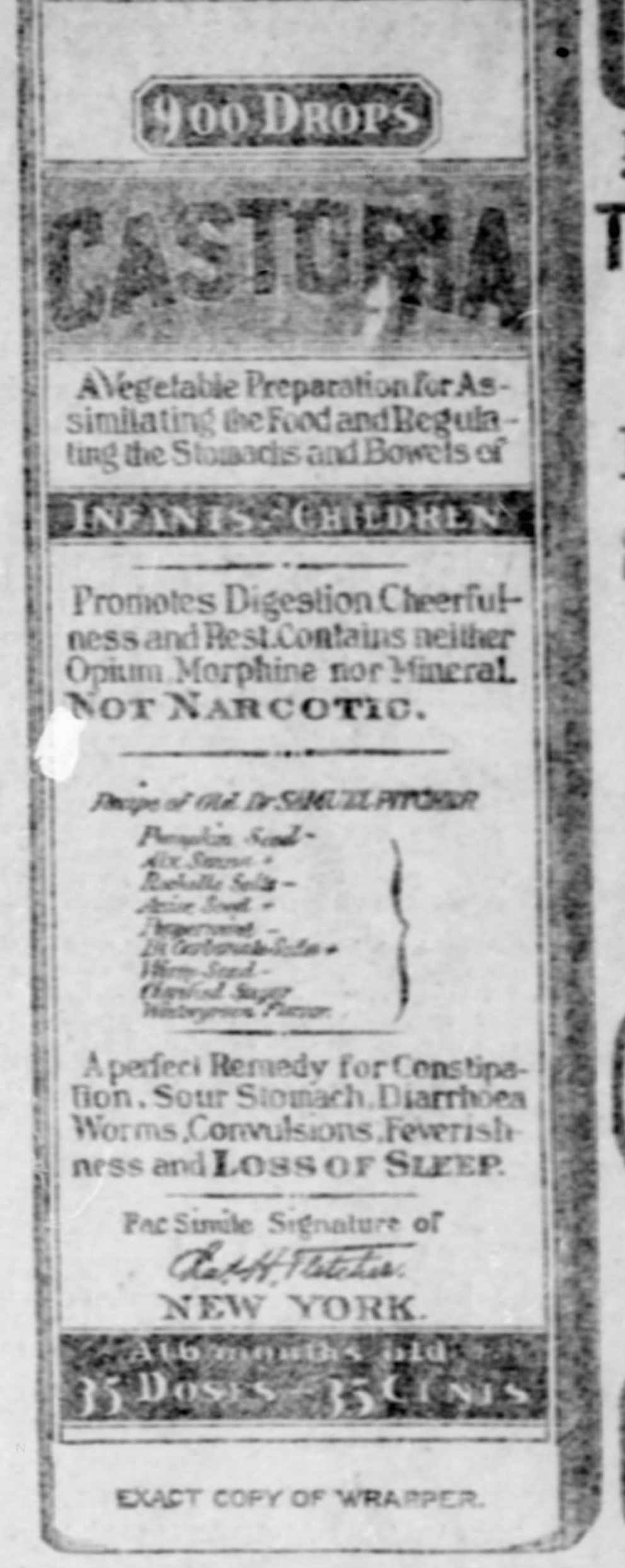
Mr. W. Sererus, Cavalier, N. D., says: "I was troubled with Asthma for 20 years, about 8 years ago I started to use your Asthma cure, and have not had an attack for six years."

Sold by all druggists at 50c and $1.00. Send 2c stamp to Dr. R. Schiffmann, Box 835, St. Paul, Minn., for a free trial package.



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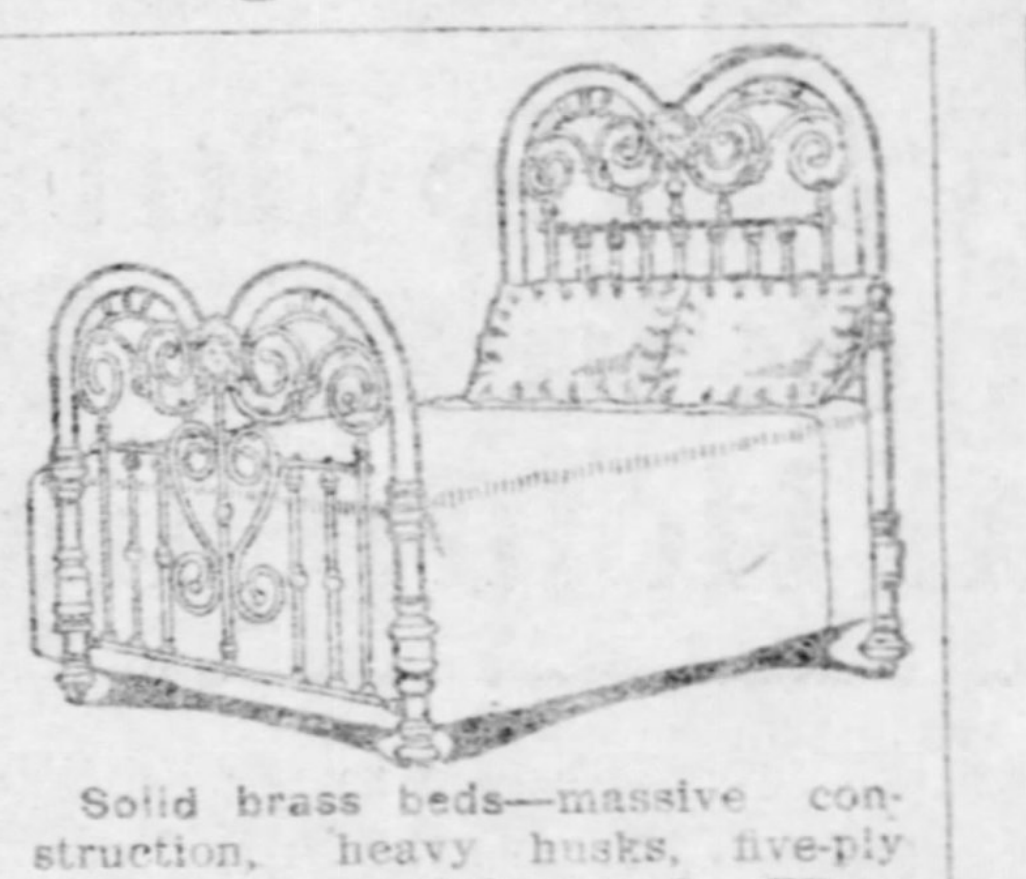
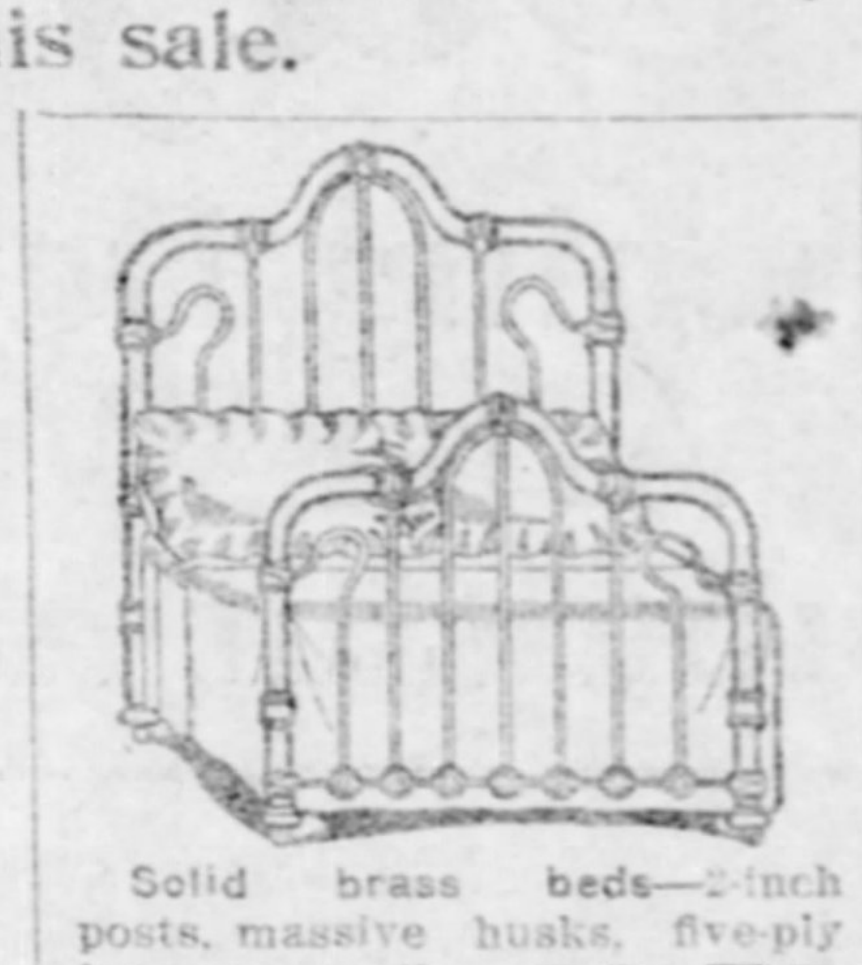
Semi-annual sale of beds and bedding

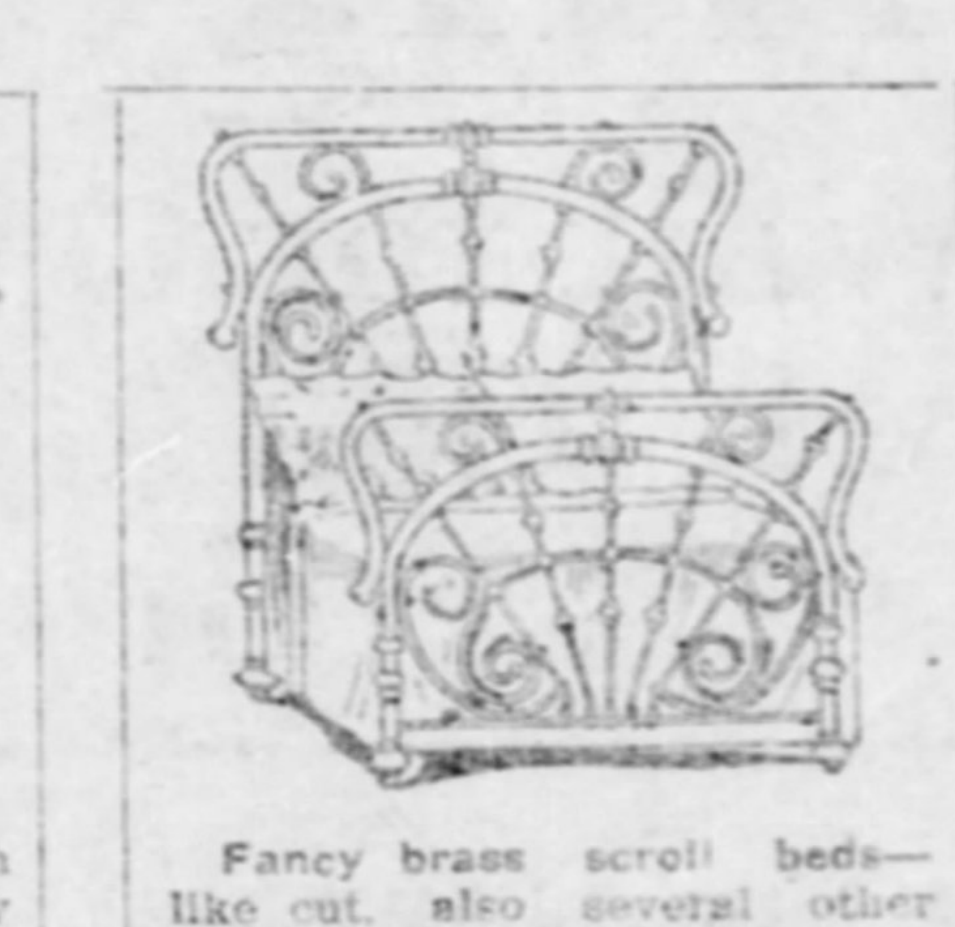
The fires were lighted and the machinery started several months ago to get up steam for this sale—otherwise we would never have been able to offer you such good beds for the money. Cost of production is higher than last year, iron and brass have advanced considerably and labor costs more. If we went today to the same markets and ordered the same quantities, we couldn't get them at the same prices. But, there are various times in the year when furniture manufacturers are willing to take orders at little or no profit in order to keep their factories going and hands employed. And it was at just these times that we placed our orders for these beds—and the economies that thereby came to us, now go to you. In other words, you save 20 to 40% by taking advantage of this sale.



Solid brass beds—massive construction, heavy husks, five-ply lacquer—worth $125, sale price........86.75



Solid brass beds—2-inch posts, massive husks, five-ply lacquer—worth $89.75, sale price..59.75



Fancy brass scroll beds—like cut, also several other styles—worth $75, this sale price..49.75

Solid brass beds—like cut and several other styles, new designs—worth $45, sale price...28.75

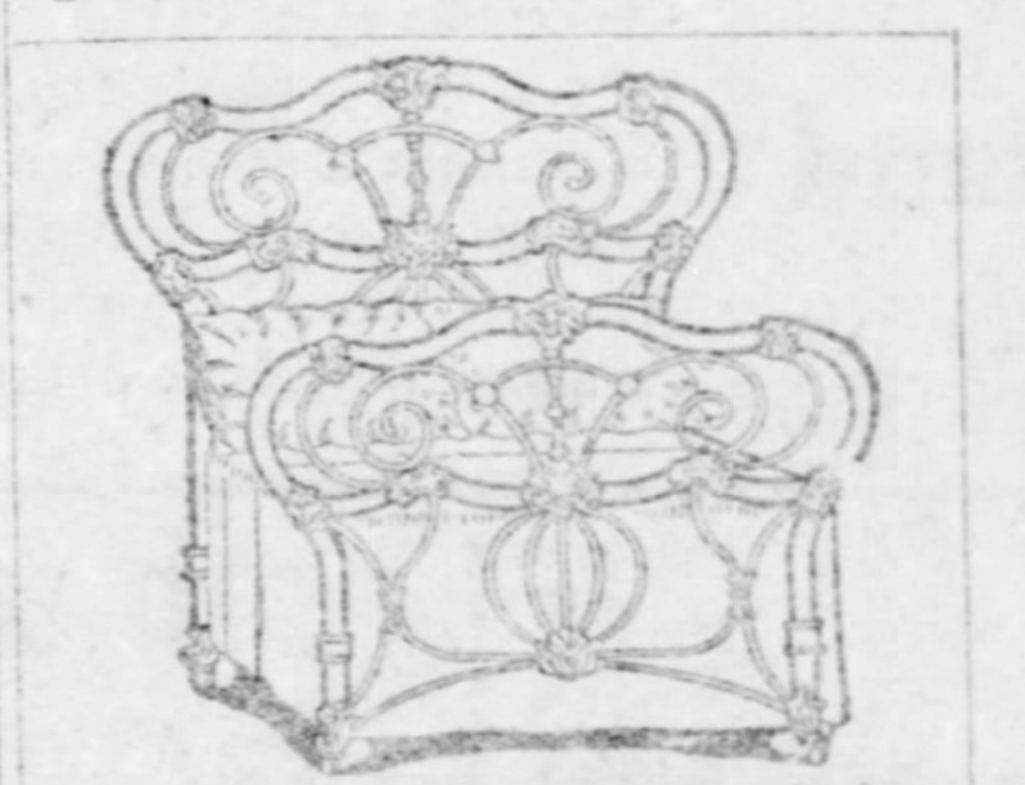
Solid brass beds—bow extension foot end, massive construction, all sizes—worth $40, sale price..........26.75

Standard felt mattresses—weight 50 lbs., fancy tickings, all sizes—would be good value for $10, this sale.......6.75

Good mattresses—cotton top, well bound, regular price $2.50, sale price..........1.49

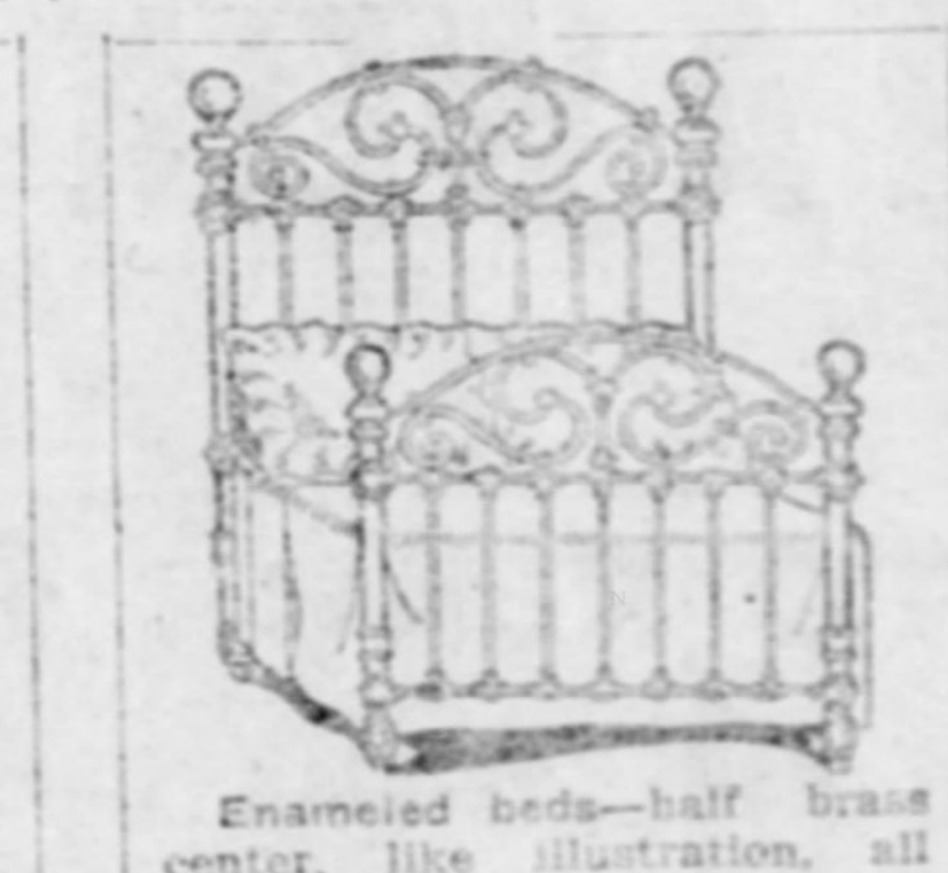
Combination fiber mattresses—can be used on either side, A. C. A. ticking—worth $7.50, sale price..........4.98

Feather pillows—weight 5 lbs., good A. C. A. ticking—worth $1.25, at, pair, 65c—bolsters to match, at, each..........65c

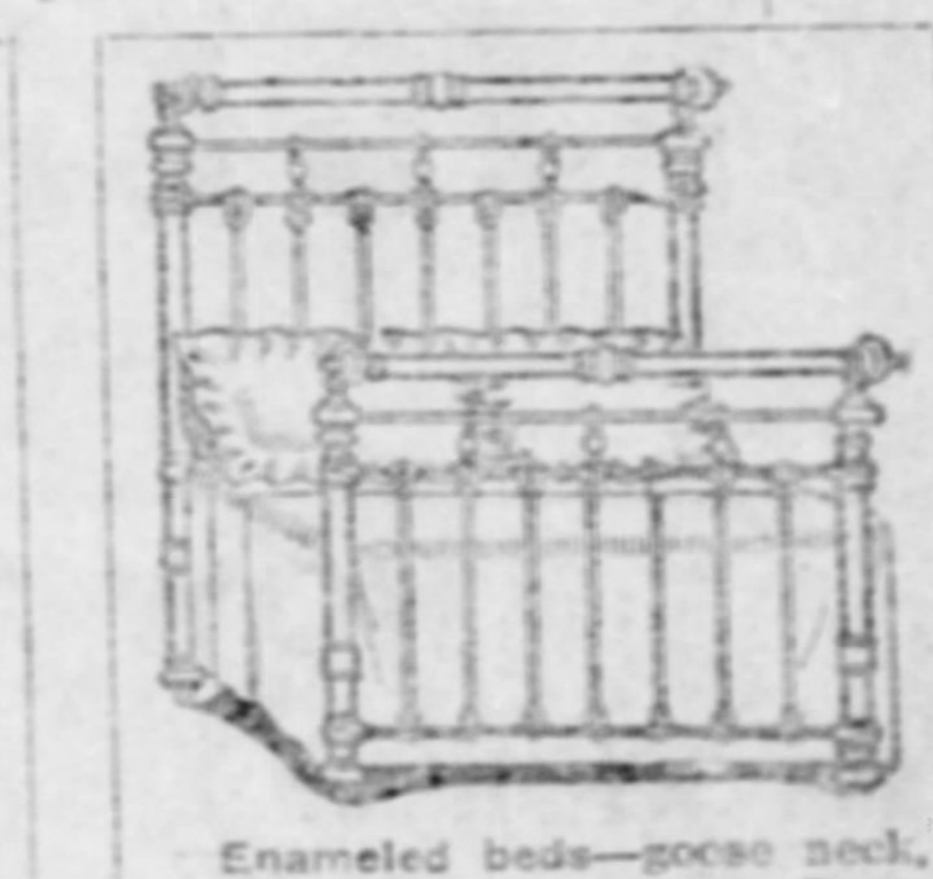


Enameled beds—rococo design, several styles, all colors—worth to $30, sale price..........18.75

Enameled beds—very massive, rococo designs, like cut and other styles, fancy finish, worth $25, sale price....14.75



Enameled beds—half brass center, like illustration, all colors—regular price $20, sale price 12.98



Enameled beds—goose neck, brass top, 2-in. posts, worth $20, sale price 11.98

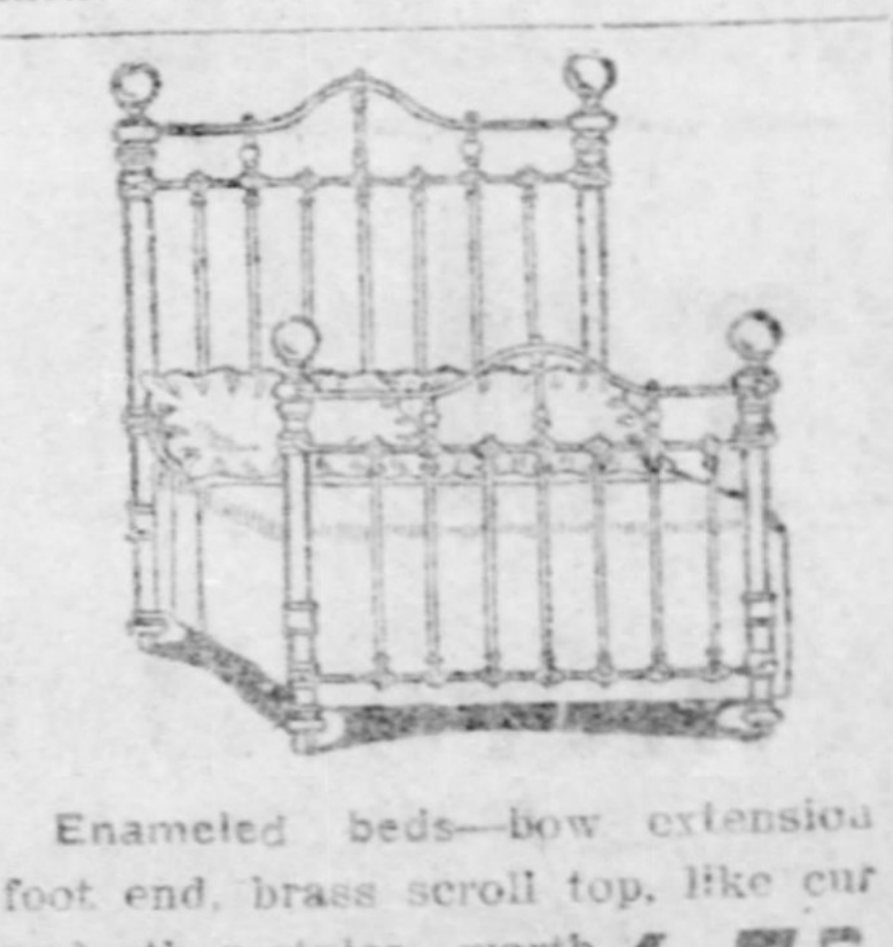
Enameled beds—rococo design, brass center, like cut and other styles—regular price $15, sale price.......8.98

Feather pillows—weight 7 lbs., perfectly odorless, fancy ticking, worth $2.50, at, pair, 1.25—bolsters to match, at, each..........1.25

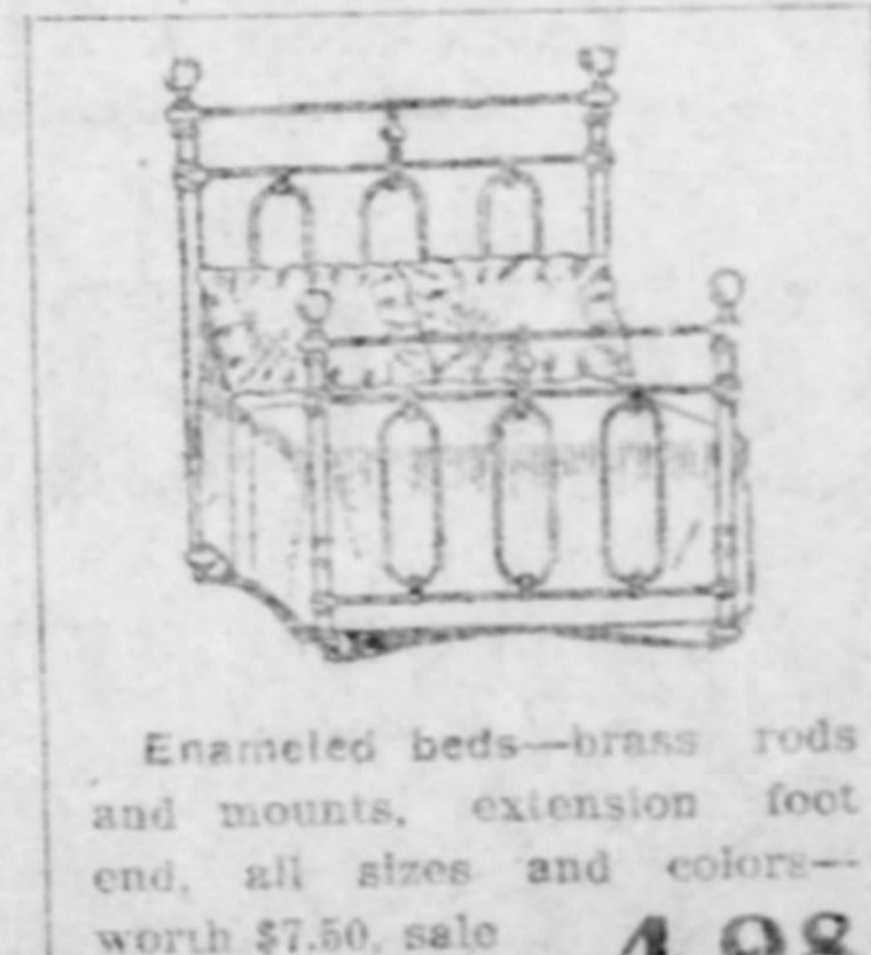
Bed spring—good woven wire, all sizes for wood and iron beds—worth $2.50, sale price..........1.49

Upholstered box springs—practically no wear out to them, all sizes—really worth $15, sale price.....9.75

Japanned coil springs—120 coils, all sizes to fit all beds, very "springy"—regular price $3.50, sale price..........2.49



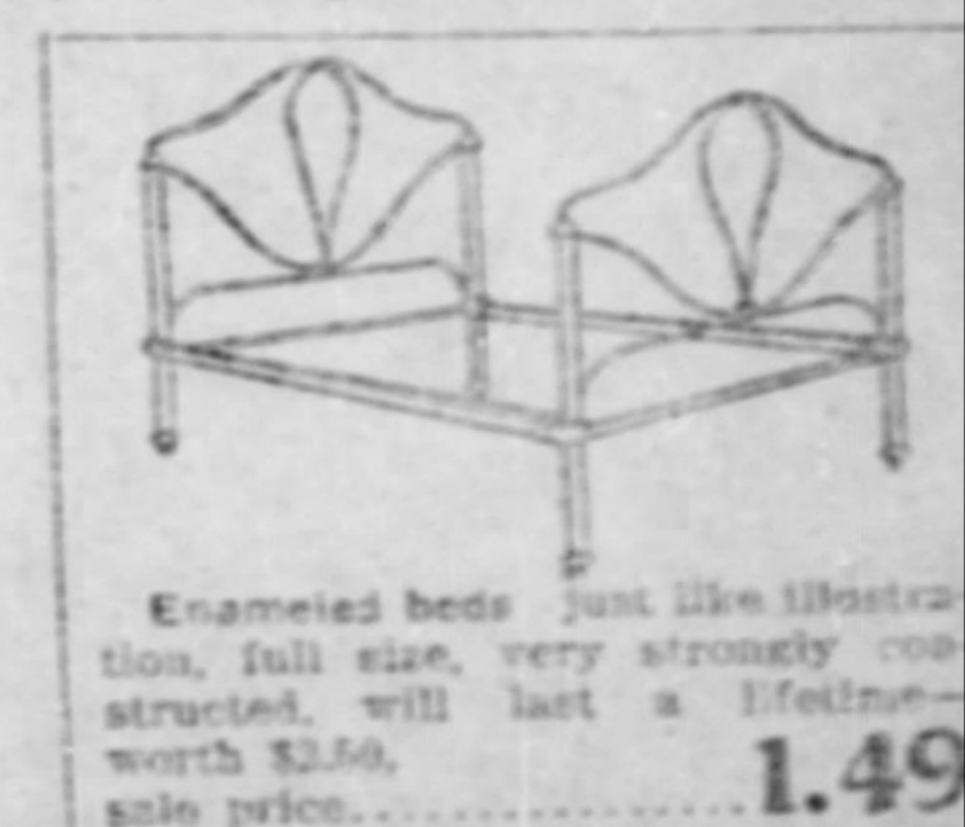
Enameled beds—bow extension foot end, brass scroll top, like cut and other styles—worth $11, sale price..........6.75



Enameled beds—brass rods and mounts, extension foot end, all sizes and colors—worth $7.50, sale price..........4.98

Enameled beds—brass trimmed, like illustration, hard enamel, all sizes—regular price $5.50, Sale price..........2.98

Enameled beds—brass trimmed, 1 1-16 in. posts, as illustrated, all sizes—regular price $3.75, sale price..........2.49



Enameled beds—just like illustration, full size, very strongly constructed, will last a lifetime—worth $3.50, sale price..........1.49

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NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

St. Louis	3—Pittsburgh		2
New York	4—Boston		1
Brooklyn	7—Philadelphia		4
Chicago	No Game		Cincinnati

Tall Twirler Does Not Seem Fast Enough for the Pirates

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Washington	5—Boston	2
Philadelphia	5—New York	2
Cleveland	5—Detroit	4
St. Louis	5—Chicago	2

FALKENBERG WAS VICTIM AGAIN

The College Boy Worked Finely Until Seventh When Leever Was Called to Relief.

MURPHY WAS IN FINE FORM

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	60	[illegible]	.674	Brooklyn	42	44	.488
New York	51	36	.586	Boston	36	49	.424
Chicago	55	39	.585	St. Louis	34	57	.374
Cincinnati	47	44	.516	Philadelphia	31	58	.348

GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
New York at Boston.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—Pitcher Eddie Murphy deserves the credit for the Cardinals' victory today over their old-time foes, the Pittsburgh Pirates. From a flash of speed shown in the two innings he pitched yesterday in the second game, which was called after 15 minutes of play on account of rain, Donovan decided that Murphy "fit," and he sent him in against the Clarke-Wagner combination today with instructions to give them the best he had in stock. From the fact that the Pirates were able to get as many as two hits together in only two innings, it is apparent that Murphy was something of an enigma.

Wagner sent Falkenberg to the firing line to give him a second trial against Donovan's babes. If his first effort on last Friday was an indifferent one, today's game was worse. In the six and one-half innings he pitched, Falkenberg was touched up for eight clean hits and gave two passes to first. Besides he allowed one man to get to first by failing to field his position, and in pinches the lengthy boy did not seem to be able to deliver the goods.

Sorrowfully, but firmly, the mighty Hans called the elongated one aside in the seventh. After Murphy and Farrell had singled in succession, one out and the score tied, Falkenberg walked with drooping head to the bench. Leever went out to try to pull the game out of the fire. He was eager to warm up, but the crowd in the grandstand jeered and rooted him into beginning to pitch before he had located the plate. The result was that Donovan walked. Then, with the bases full, Smoot flied out to Beaumont in deep center, and Pitcher Murphy crossed the line with a winning run. Brain flied out to Sebring and the run getting was over. Leever was himself again in the eighth, and held the Cardinals down nicely. The Pirates scored in but one inning, the third, when Smith's single and Beaumont's and Sebring's doubles sent two men scampering over the plate.

The Pirates made desperate efforts to rally after the Cardinals had first tied the score and then passed it. But in vain. The farther Pitcher Eddie Murphy went the better he got. In the last five innings the champions were able to get only three scattered hits off him. The Pirates had their last chance to score when Leach led off with a single and Ritchey followed suit. Kruger forced Leach, however, and Falkenberg struck out for the second time, while the best Beaumont could do was a tall fly to Smoot.

"The babes" scored one run in the fourth on a pass to Smoot, a single and a stolen base by Brain and outs by Barclay and Burke. In the sixth they tallied again on Smoot's hit and stolen base, Hans Wagner's failure to get Brain's hot one and Burke's out. The winning run was scored in the seventh when Murphy bingled, Farrell singled, Donovan walked and Murphy scored on Smoot's fly out to Beaumont. The Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell, 2	0	2	3	0	0	Beau't, m	1	2	1	0	0
Donovan r	0	0	1	0	0	Sebring, r	0	1	1	0	0
Smoot, m	2	2	6	0	0	Wagner, s	0	0	3	3	0
Brain, s	0	3	2	3	0	Br'field, 1	0	0	7	1	0
Barclay, l	0	0	2	0	0	Leach, 3	0	1	1	2	0
Burke, 3	0	0	2	3	0	Ritchey, 2	0	3	4	1	0
Hackett, 1	0	1	9	0	0	Kruger, l	0	0	2	0	0
Ryan, c	0	0	2	1	0	Smith, c	1	1	4	1	0
Murphy, p	1	2	0	4	0	Falk'b'g, p	0	1	1	1	0
						Leever, p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	3	10	27	11	0	Totals	2	9	24	10	0

St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	*	—3
Pittsburgh	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hits—Beaumont, Sebring, Ritchey. Sacrifice hit—Beaumont. Stolen bases—Brain 2. Bases on balls—Off Murphy 1, off Falkenberg 2, off Leever 1. Struck out—By Murphy 2, by Falkenberg 2, by Leever 1. Left on bases—St. Louis 8, Pittsburgh 8. Innings pitched—By Falkenberg 6⅓, by Leever 1⅔. Hits—Off Falkenberg 8, off Leever 2. Time—1:30. Umpire—O'Day.

THE QUAKERS BEATEN.

Got a Fine Start, but Schmidt Grew Strong.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug. 3.—Superior hitting won today's game for Brooklyn from Philadelphia. The home team failed to get a hit off Schmidt after the third inning. The fielding of both teams was splendid. Attendance, 1,770. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Strang, 3	0	0	1	3	0	Thomas, m	1	1	4	0	0
Sheck'd, l	3	1	2	0	0	Gleason, 2	1	1	1	7	0
Dobbs, m	1	1	2	0	0	Wolv'ton, 3	1	2	5	2	1
Doyle, 1	1	2	13	0	0	Titus, r	0	0	1	1	0
Dahlen, s	0	2	2	4	0	Barry, l	1	0	0	0	0
McCr'y, r	0	0	0	0	0	Douglas, 1	0	0	9	0	1
Flood, 2	1	1	3	3	1	Hulswitt, s	0	0	1	0	0
Jackl'ch, c	0	1	3	1	1	Roth, c	0	1	6	1	0
Schmidt, p	1	1	1	3	1	Fraser, p	0	0	0	4	0
						*Hallman	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	10	27	16	2	Totals	4	5	27	15	2

*Batted for Fraser in ninth inning.

Brooklyn	2	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	—7
Philadelphia	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Two-base hits—Doyle, Gleason. Three-base hit—Roth. Home run, Sheckard. Double play—Wolverton and Roth. Stolen bases—Strang, Dobbs, Doyle, Flood, Wolverton, Titus, Barry, Fraser. Struck out—By Schmidt 1, by Fraser 4. Left on bases—Brooklyn 9, Philadelphia 5. First base on balls—Off Schmidt 4, off Fraser 7. Wild pitch—Fraser. Time—2:00. Umpire—Johnstone.

GIANTS IN ELEVENTH.

Willis, for Boston, Weakens and Loses His Game.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—New York scored three runs in the eleventh inning and defeated Boston 4 to 1 in a long-drawn out but exciting game. After Boston tied the score and still had men on bases in the ninth, Mathewson struck out the side. Willis weakened in the eleventh and his support failed him. Score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Browne, r	1	2	0	0	0	Williams, l	0	1	3	0	0
Bres'an, m	0	2	1	0	0	Tenney, 1	0	1	17	0	0
McGann 1	0	0	13	0	0	Stanley, m	0	1	3	0	0
Mertes, l	0	0	2	0	0	Carney, r	1	2	0	0	0
Babb, s	0	1	2	5	0	Moran, c	0	1	5	0	0
Dunn, 3	0	0	1	4	1	Ab'chio, 2	0	1	2	3	2
Gilbert, 2	1	1	2	1	0	Grem'r, 3	0	0	1	4	1
Warner, c	1	1	12	2	0	Aubrey, s	0	2	2	6	1
Math'n, p	1	2	0	1	0	Willis, p	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	4	9	33	13	1	Totals	1	9	33	16	4

New York	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	—4
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

Two-base hit—Moran. Stolen bases—Bresnahan, McGann, Mertes, Gilbert, Abbatechio. Double plays—McGann (unassisted), Babb and Gilbert. First base on balls—Off Willis 3, off Mathewson 2. Hit by pitched balls—Dunn, Gilbert. Struck out—By Mathewson 11, by Willis 3. Time—2:30. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance—2,275.

Rival Teams Will Meet Again.

WASHINGTON, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The Washington baseball team returned home today from its trip along the river. The team suffered two defeats while away—Charleroi and California. Great preparations are being made for the second of a series of games with the Waynesburg team tomorrow. Special trains will bring the Waynesburgers over, and thousands will attend. Kid Williams of Altoona, who officiated in the first game for Waynesburg, will likely be on the rubber for the visitors. The local pitcher has not yet been selected.

Rain Stopped Tennis Game.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—After one set had been finished for the western tennis championship today between Kreigh Collins, the present holder, and A. C. Snow, a heavy rainstorm put an end to the contest. The first set went to Collins, 8-6. Weather permitting, the other two sets will be fought out tomorrow.

JOHN W. M'ILVAINE,
Manager and Pitcher of the Valley Camp Team.

FOUND WASHER EASY.

Altoona Chased Homestead Pitcher Off Rubber in Second Inning.

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Homestead fell an easy prey before Pitcher Bennett this afternoon at Columbia park 11 to 2. Washer was chased from the box in the second inning after 10 hits and nine runs had been made off him. "Germany" Smith batted heavily, driving in six of Altoona's men. He also fielded finely, as did Bennett, Edmundson, Milton and McCloskey. Martin supplanted Washer and did well. Tate and Cosgrove of Homestead are ill and did not play. Score:

Altoona.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Homest'd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cooper, m	3	2	1	0	0	Edm'son, 3	0	0	4	2	1
Doherty, 2	1	2	1	3	0	McCh'y, m	0	0	1	0	0
Denny, 1	1	2	12	0	1	McCl's'y, 1	1	1	3	0	0
Smith, s	3	4	2	5	0	Milton, 1	0	1	12	1	0
Hinton, 3	1	1	1	1	0	Fisher, 2	1	0	2	2	0
Davis, l	2	2	0	0	0	Martin, p-r	0	0	0	1	0
Needh'm c	0	2	3	1	0	Ferg'son, s	0	0	1	3	1
Hollis, r	0	1	5	0	1	Coursey, c	0	1	0	5	0
Bennett, p	0	0	0	3	0	Washer r-p	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	11	16	27	13	2	Totals	2	3	24	15	2

Homestead	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2
Altoona	5	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	*	—11

Sacrifice hits—Denny 2, Doherty, Hinton. Stolen bases—Hinton 2, McCloskey. Two-base hits—Smith, Needham, Davis. First base on errors—Altoona 1, Homestead 2. Left on bases—Altoona 6, Homestead 4. Double play—Milton, Martin and Edmundson. Struck out—By Bennett 2. Bases on balls—Off Bennett 2, off Washer 2. Time 1:15. Umpire—Ward. Attendance—500.

CENTRAL LEAGUE GAMES.

South Bend Made It Three Straight from Wheeling.

WHEELING, W. VA., Aug. 3.—In a pitchers' battle, South Bend made it three straights from Wheeling today. Rank errors at short by Kain were responsible for three runs in the second, which gave the game away. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Wheeling	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	—5	12	3
South Bend	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	—7	8	1

Batteries—Miller and Price; Ream, Shaffer and Tieman.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Aug. 3.—The locals played a sleepy game today both at the bat and in the field. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Terre Haute	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	5	2
Grand Rapids	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	—8	10	1

Batteries—Smith and Richardson; Miller and O'Neil.

DAYTON, O., Aug. 3.—Dayton lost today through generally inferior playing. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Dayton	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	—2	8	3
Evansville	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4	7	5

Batteries—Mullin, Hoff and Fox; Perkins and McKinley.

MARION, IND., Aug. 3.—Fort Wayne hit today when hits meant runs. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Marion	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	—6	12	2
Fort Wayne	3	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	—8	10	1

Batteries—Hamilton, Patterson and Herbert; Essick, Curtis and Myers.

Westinghouse Is Stronger.

Manager J. S. Duffy of the Westinghouse Athletic club will have a much stronger team on the field from now on than the one that has represented the club since the opening of the season. He has secured some new players and will be able to meet any independent team in the country. Saturday is open. Address J. S. Duffy, East Pittsburgh, for the date.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

All players of the Brown A. C. will report for practice this evening at 6 o'clock.

The Pittsburgh Harness Supply Company team will play the Lyle Brothers Saturday.

The Lincoln A. C. claim a game from the Armstrong A. C. of Crafton 9 to 0 for non-appearance.

The Osbornes will tackle the Heights A. C. of the County league in a twilight game tomorrow evening.

The Allentown Reserves will play the Mayflowers this evening at 6:30 p. m. at South Side Recreation park.

The Lincoln A. C. will play the Sommer A. C. next Saturday. The battery for Lincoln A. C. will be Jagdman and Diese.

The Rileys would like to play any 8 or 9-year-old team for the local championship. Address J. Nevin, 61 Tunnel street.

The Mansion A. C. would like to hear from all 12 and 13-year-old teams. Write John A. Brownlee, 2604 Webster avenue, city.

The Hazelwood A. C. has changed its name to the Hiawatha A. C., and will play the W. H. Forests at Hazelwood grounds Saturday.

The Winter A. C. has August 8 open, and would like to hear from all out-of-town teams. Address Ben Kress, 2506 Carson street, South Side.

Hart, the Sharpsburg Y. M. I. pitcher, who has struck out 54 men in his last four games, will pitch against the Fairbanks Saturday at Etna.

The Yale Juniors would like to arrange games with all 9 and 10-year-old teams. Address William Hester, 1904 Market street, Allegheny.

The Rody Wallace team desires a game for August 15, and two games for Labor day. Address F. C. Dankmyer, No. 11 Swope street, Millvale.

The Duquesne Reserves would like to hear from all 11 and 12-year-old teams wishing games. Address John R. Balclay, 1015 Park building, city.

The Premier Amateurs want a game for August 9 with some good 16-year-old team. Address J. W. Guskey, 105 Fifteenth street, South Side, city.

The Idlewood Juniors want a game away from home with any 14 to 15-year-old team for Saturday. Call up Idlewood pay station tonight at 8 o'clock, or address John Langdon, Idlewood.

The Herb Juniors are without a game for Saturday, August 8, and would like to hear from all 9 or 10-year-old teams desiring games. Address William Herb, No. 42 Holt street, Pittsburgh.

Swissvale will play the Mt. Lebanon Athletic club of Mt. Lebanon at Swissvale this evening. The game will start at 6:15. Mt. Lebanon players will take Swissvale, Rankin and McKeesport car and meet at the park.

The Lightning Slingers of the American Sheet Steel Company and the Pen Pushers of the same company played a game at Schenley park, in which the Lightning Slingers came out ahead 10 to 8 in 14 innings. The feature was the pitching of E. W. Campbell.

The Herron Hill A. C. will meet the Pittsburgh Dry Goods tonight at Herron Hill park, Duff street and Bedford avenue. Herron Hill would like to arrange twilight games for this week with first-class amateur teams. E. H. Williams, 711 Liberty street, telephone 1056 Main.

The Colonial Printing & Lithographing team would like to arrange a game with all printing and bookbinding baseball teams in the two cities, the Melvins and W. M. Dicks teams preferred. Address baseball manager, Colonial Printing & Lithographing Company, Forbes street, city.

The Lincoln A. C. would like to hear from all 10 or 11-year-old teams, such as the American, Mayflower, Wier, Armstrong Butler Stars, Imperial Juniors, Flower avenue Stars, Vulcan, Curry, Xanthas, Duquesne Reserves, Vermont, Mansion Herron Hill Juniors, and the Mifflin Juniors. John A. Thompson, P. O. box 913, city.

The manager of the Ben Avon team says if he does not soon hear from the manager of the Pedestrians in regard to the game scheduled for August 15 at Ben Avon, this date will be given to some other team. If they wish to keep this date they should write to the manager, Charles D. Dyer, Ben Avon.

PIRATES NOW HAVE ONLY ONE SOUND PITCHER

Leever the Only Twirler Available for Duty, the Others Being Sick—Wagner Twice Spiked.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Acting Manager Wagner of the Pittsburgh champions tonight wired Pitcher Wilhelm to join the team at Chicago tomorrow, as the twirling staff is in a bad way. Phillippe must go home tomorrow night to consult his physician. Kennedy, who took sick while running out his three-base hit, was not able to leave the hotel today. Veil is in bad shape. Doheny is among the missing, and Wilhelm is at home. This reduces the staff to one available pitcher, Schoolmaster Leever.

Leader Wagner is not alarmed. "Our trouble comes in bunches this year and it is unfortunate that we go to Chicago with a crippled force, because if there is any place that we need good pitching it is in the Windy City. Still, we will not become discouraged. We have weathered two bad storms and should get through this one."

Wagner was the victim of two peculiar accidents in today's game. First, Donovan accidentally spiked him on the arm near the elbow while sliding to first, and later another Cardinal unintentionally scratched Hans' shoulder with his spikes.

FINE FINISH BETWEEN TWO OLD-TIME DRIVERS

Geers and Doble Met in the 2:29 Trot and There Was a Drive That Was Exciting.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 3.—The Buffalo Driving club's grand circuit meeting opened today at the Kenilworth track. The attendance was excellent. The weather was fine and the track was a bit slow, as was to be expected. Geers and Doble met in the 2:29 trot and in the third heat of the race they came to the wire in a finish that brought the grandstand to its feet. Geers put Dan T. over by the shortest of heads.

The fifth race was for 3-year-olds, their first appearance on the circuit this season. All races were best two in three. Summaries:

First race, 2:18 class, pace, purse $1,200.

Tom Keene, ch. g., by West Egbert (G. W. Sanders) ... 1 1
Triby Direct, b. m. (Walker) ... 2 2
Ebony King, blk. g. (Bogash) ... 4 3
Sadie Barch, ch. m. (Snow) ... 3 dis.
Rector, b. g. (Emery) ... dis.
Time—2:09, 2:10¾.

Second race, 2:12 class, trot, purse $2,000.

Billy Buck, b. g., by St. Clair (Geers) 4 1 1
Frances B., ch. m., by Alcamedia (Snow) ... 1 4 4
Allie Wood, b. s. (Miller) ... 2 2 3
Hawthorne, ro. m. (Hudson) ... 3 3 2
Anna Held, b. m. (Ecker) ... 5 5dr.
Time—2:13¾, 2:10¼, 2:11½.

Third race, 2:12 class, pace, purse $1,000.

Diablito, b. g., by Diablo (Walker) ... 1 4 1
Halchaffin, br. s., by Brown Hal (Geers) ... 6 1 4
Strathline, b. g. (Burns) ... 2 5 2
Miss Williamont, b. m. (Miller) ... 3 2 5
Donna McGregor, br. m. (Snow) ... 4 3 3
Plumbline, b. m. (Davis) ... 7 6 6
Merry Master, b. m. (Robison) ... 5 dis.
Time—2:11½, 2:10¾, 2:11½.

Fourth race, 2:09 class, trot, purse $1,200.

Dan T., b. g., by Crawford (Geers) 8 6 1 1
Monte Carlo, b. s., by Mendocino (Walker) ... 1 3 5 2
Lord Vincent, b. s., by St. Vincent (Patterson) ... 3 1 4 3
Dulce Cor, b. g. (Miller) ... 2 2 3ro.
The Roman, b. g. (Doble) ... 5 4 2ro.
Maxine, b. m. (Ecker) ... 4 5 6ro.
A. J. D., b. g. (Davis) ... 7 8 7ro.
Baron de Shay, b. g. (McHenry) ... 6 7 dr.
Time—2:09¼, 2:10½, 2:09¾, 2:12¾.

Fifth race, 2:25 class, trot, 3-year-olds, purse $1,000.

Tireless, b. g., by Electric Bell (Miller) ... 1 1
Mary Gage, b. f. (Kenney) ... 2 2
Lord Roberts, b. c. (Titer) ... 3 3
Time—2:14½, 2:15½.

INTERNATIONAL TENNIS.

Matches for Davis Trophy Begin Today on Longwood Courts.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Two American and two British tennis players, W. A. Larned and R. D. Wrenn, and R. F. and H. L. Doherty will cross raquets on the courts of the Longwood Cricket club tomorrow in the first of a series of matches for the international tennis challenge trophy presented three years ago by Dwight F. Davis.

This is the third attempt which British players have made to lift the Davis cup. On the first year that it was offered the foreigners were badly beaten at Longwood. A year ago the two Dohertys with Dr. Joshua Pim, made another bid for the cup, and won two of the five points necessary for its possession. The British team this year is again made up of the two Dohertys with H. S. Mahony as a third member.

It was anounced this afternoon that the two Dohertys would play in both single and double matches, leaving Mahony as a substitute in case of accident.

RIDE WAS SUSPICIOUS; STABLE IS SUSPENDED

Jockey Treanor Is Also Ruled Off at the Harlem Track. Obeyed Orders.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The racing stable of C. Lind & Co. of San Francisco, and Jockey Treanor, were suspended at the Harlem track today. The cause of the official action was the suspicious-looking ride put up on Orsina in the fifth race by Treanor, the Lind mare finishing third to Postmaster Wright and McGee.

Orsina was given a poor ride, Treanor taking her back from first position at the first quarter, to fourth place. Then in the stretch he made his run far too late, and although the mare was full of running, he could not reach the leaders.

Owner Lind explained his orders to Treanor by saying that in some of the mare's races she had been sent to the front to race, but that she showed faint heartedness at that stride and today it was decided to have her come from behind. Treanor claimed these were his orders and that he tried to follow the riding instructions faithfully.

Danny Lynch, Lind's partner, claimed he had bet $250 on the mare and thought she would win. All were questioned closely by Judge Hamilton before the ruling was announced.

CITY HAS THE DEEDS

One of Warrants of Flinn-Magee Tract Cashed—Property Now Part of Schenley.

The trustees of the C. L. Magee estate yesterday cashed the warrant for the estate's share of the proceeds from the sale of the Flinn-Magee technical school site to the city. The Magee heirs receive one-half of the amount, or $175,000. The warrants to the Magee estate and to ex-Senator William Flinn were delivered Saturday.

The city now holds the deeds for the property, which was bought for park purposes. It is now a part of Schenley park. The last legislature passed an act authorizing the city to allow park land to be used for technical schools, but before this can be done the city councils will have to pass an ordinance transferring the tract to the trustees of the Carnegie institute, who will have jurisdiction over the technical school. As councils will not meet until September, the trustees will not get possession of the site before that time. No plans will be made until the land is in the hands of the trustees.

AMATEUR GOLF EXPERTS READY FOR THE TOURNEY

Hundreds of Golfers in Cleveland—Many Pittsburghers Will Take Part.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 3.—One hundred and twenty-eight of the west's best golfers are entered for the fifth annual western amateur golf championship, which begins at Cleveland tomorrow. The tourney will be the most important event of the year in western golf circles, and, according to the officials, will be the most successful and best contested of any ever given under the Western Golf association's direction.

Besides the pick of the west many who hold several eastern honors will be ready for the opening round tomorrow. National Amateur Champion Louis N. James of Glenview, Western Amateur Champion H. Chandler Eagan of Exmoor, Walter E. Egan, of Exmoor, R. E. Daniels and H. E. Daniels of Midlothian, R. D. Bokum, Jr., Norris Bokum, K. L. Ames, John D. Towne and J. N. Sellers of Glenview, Charles Baker and George W. Young of Auburn Park, Herbert J. Tweedie of Belmont and Fred. H. Hamlin and W. T. G. Bristol of Chicago are the most prominent ones who will compete for the honors.

Among those to play today are the following from Pittsburgh and vicinity: H. D. McCandless, Allegheny; G. A. Ormiston, Highland; S. Y. Ramage, Dr. D. P. Fredericks and H. McSweeney and James H. Snowden, Oil City; J. W. Oliver, Allegheny; H. C. Fownes, Allegheny.

Those to play Tuesday are O. D. Thompson, Pittsburgh; E. M. Byers, Allegheny; C. C. Preston and W. C. Fownes, Jr., Highland; W. C. Carnegie, Allegheny; B. S. Horne, Allegheny; James S. Martin, Highland, and R. P. Nevin, Sewickley.

METEOR WON RACE.

Emperor William's American Built Yacht Was First.

COWES, Aug. 3.—The Solent yachting season, which opened today with matches under the auspices of the Royal London Yacht club, promises to be more than usually interesting. The presence of King Edward and Queen Alexandra guarantees the social success of the week, while the entries for the races will be up to the average.

The race for the rear commodore's cup, value 110 guineas, brought out three schooners. The German emperor's Meteor led over the line, with Mr. Quentin's Cicely on her weather beam and Mr. Cayley's Adela close astern. In the course of the first round the Cicely carried away her gaff and the Meteor led to the end of the round with her handicap well in hand. A number of other minor handicap races started.

Niles Wins at Sharon.

SHARON, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Niles beat Sharon today 7 to 2. Nagle and Demoss played a star game. Score:

Sharon.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Niles.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Evans, 2	0	1	2	3	1	Porter, r	1	1	1	0	0
Service, c	0	0	2	3	0	Demoss, s	2	3	5	4	0
Kerr, l	1	1	3	0	1	Ortlieb, c	1	2	4	2	1
Yoho, 3	0	1	2	0	0	Murphy, 1	0	0	4	0	1
Badel, 1	0	1	11	0	0	Nagle, 3	0	1	5	4	0
Irwin, m	1	1	1	0	0	Krueger, 2	0	1	3	1	1
Wil'ms, s	0	0	3	3	1	Kommer, l	1	1	4	0	0
Kaufm'n r	0	1	1	0	1	Thomas, m	0	0	1	0	0
McNeil, p	0	0	2	4	0	Glassb'r, p	2	2	0	2	0
Totals	2	6	27	13	4	Totals	7	11	27	13	3

Niles	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	4	—7
Sharon	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	—2

Stolen bases—Porter, Demoss, Nagle, Badel. Two-base hits—Demoss, Ortlieb, Kommer, Kerr. Three-base hits—Ortlieb, Erwin. First base on balls—Off Glassburner, 2; off McNeil, 2. Struck out—By McNeil, 2; by Glassburner, 4. Hit by pitched ball—McNeil. Umpire—Welsh.

Happenings of the Day

—Tony Denarko, an Italian, 50 years old, of Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, had a leg broken yesterday morning while working on the tracks of the Pittsburgh Railways Company at West View.

—James Goers of No. 1301 Madison avenue, Allegheny, was held in $300 bail for court yesterday charged by Mrs. Mary McGuire of No. 1206 Gerst alley with assault and battery.

—Patrick Murphy of Harrison street was fined $10 and costs by Alderman C. Oyer yesterday for beating, kicking and otherwise abusing his daughter Mary, 18 years old. The information was furnished by Agent H. S. Shaw of the Humane society.

—Emanuel's Evangelical Lutheran church, Juniata street, Allegheny, the Rev. C. K. Fegley pastor, will be closed until August 30, when all services will be resumed.

—Tony Denarko, an Italian, aged 50, and married, of the Perrysville road, had a leg broken while unloading lumber at West View yesterday.

—John Sullivan of Frederick street, South Side, was held for court yesterday charged with stealing a horse blanket and several oil cans from the Gretton Oil Company while in its employ.

—George Swank, Frank Foulander and John Grubbs, charged with gambling in Highland park on Sunday, were each fined $10 yesterday. Four Italians arrested for drinking in the park were each fined $5.

—When Morris Goldstein yesterday went to Central police station to enter information against a man for robbing his trunk, he was arrested on a warrant charging him with pointing firearms at Abraham Sardowsky.

—Evan Valler of Madison avenue, Allegheny, yesterday had his left arm and one rib broken in a runaway in which his buggy was overturned in Brighton road.

—Joseph Bolokoffski, an employe at the West Penn hospital, was yesterday arrested on a charge of stealing a pocketbook containing $50 which belonged to a patient at the hospital.

Vera Dupont of No. 443 Third avenue was fined $100 yesterday by Alderman C. F. Oyer on a charge of harboring a minor. It was alleged she kept a girl recently paroled from Morganza at her house.

—Robert Aiken, aged 9, was nearly drowned yesterday in the Allegheny river at the Forty-third street bridge. His home is in Butler plank road, Shaler township.

—Frank Vonan and Frank Severdo, both of No. 326 Cabot way, were arrested last night as suspicious persons. Vonan complained to the officer that while he was sleeping in his room the other man came in and relieved him of money.

—Mrs. A. G. Ratock of No. 3947 Forbes street reported yesterday that while on the way from her home to a real estate office in Atwood street, she either lost or was robbed of her pocketbook containing $50 and a gold chain.

—J. J. O'Brien of Northumberland street reported at the Oakland police station last night that a thief had entered his chicken coop early yesterday morning, and stole forty valuable chickens.

—A lamp explosion at the house of Tony Coranto, No. 7509 Colwell street at 6:30 o'clock last night, did $15 damage.

—George Ellsworth, a bartender in a Smithfield street saloon, was charged yesterday with assault and battery by Charles Lindsay, who claims that Ellsworth without any apparent cause struck him in the mouth, breaking several of his false teeth.

—Annie Collins of 539 Grant street was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of illegal liquor selling.

BROWNS CAPTURE OPENING CONTEST

Sivers Pitches Loose Ball, but Manages to Pull Out of Some Bad Holes.

LARGE CROWD SEES THE GAME

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	55	33	.625	Detroit	42	43	.494
Philadelphia	53	36	.556	Chicago	39	46	.459
Cleveland	46	41	.529	St. Louis	39	46	.459
New York	41	41	.500	Washington	29	58	.333

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ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—St. Louis took the opening game with Chicago in good fashion today. Sievers pitched a loose game, but pulled himself out of some tight holes. Attendance, 8,200. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett, 1	0	1	0	0	0	Holmes, 1	0	0	2	0	0
Martin, r	1	1	1	0	0	Isbell, 1	1	1	8	1	0
Priel, 2	1	0	3	2	0	Jones, m	2	2	2	0	0
And'son, 1	1	1	10	0	0	Green, r	0	0	1	0	1
Wallace, s	2	1	1	3	1	Cal'han, 3	0	2	1	1	0
Hemp'l, m	0	3	1	0	0	Magoon, 2	0	1	5	3	0
Sugden, c	0	2	8	4	0	Tan'hill, s	0	3	3	4	0
Hill, 3	0	0	3	2	0	Slattery, c	0	2	2	0	0
Sievers, p	0	0	0	4	1	Flaherty, p	0	0	0	5	0
Powell, p	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	5	9	27	15	2	Totals	3	11	24	14	1

St. Louis	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	*	—5
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	—3

Two-base hit—Callahan. Sacrifice hits—Green, Flaherty. Stolen base—Jones. Bases on balls—Off Sievers 5, off Flaherty 2. Struck out—By Sievers 3, by Powell 1. Innings pitched—By Sievers 8⅔, by Powell ⅓. Hits—Off Sievers 11. Left on bases—St. Louis 6, Chicago 14. Time—1:45. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

TAME AFFAIR.

Athletics Beat Highlanders in Slow Argument, 5 to 2.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—In a game absolutely devoid of any exciting incidents, Philadelphia beat New York today. The fielding of the locals was not as sharp as usual and Plank managed to keep the hits made off him well scattered except in the ninth, where a double and two singles earned a run. Score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Conroy, 3	1	1	0	3	0	Hoffman, 1	1	1	3	0	0
Keeler, r	0	1	1	0	0	Pick'g, m	1	0	2	1	0
Elb'feld, s	0	2	2	4	2	Davis, 1	0	1	8	0	0
Wil'ms, 2	0	1	2	3	0	L. Cross, 3	1	1	2	3	0
Fultz, m	0	1	3	0	0	Seybold, r	1	2	1	0	0
Ganzel, 1	0	1	14	1	0	Murphy, 2	0	2	3	2	0
McFar'd 1	0	0	0	0	0	M. Cross, s	1	1	2	2	1
Beville, c	1	0	5	1	1	Powers, c	0	0	6	1	0
Howell, p	0	1	0	3	0	Plank, p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	2	8	27	15	3	Totals	5	8	27	10	1

New York	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—2
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	—5

Left on bases—New York 8, Philadelphia 4. Two-base hits—Elberfeld, Fultz, Howell, Seybold. Three-base hits—Elberfeld, L. Cross. Sacrifice hits—Pickering, Powers. Stolen base—Murphy. Double play—Elberfeld and Ganzel. First base on errors—New York 1, Philadelphia 2. First base on balls—Off Plank 2, off Howell 1. Hit by pitched balls—By Plank 1, by Howell 1. Struck out—By Plank 4, by Howell 3. Time—2:00. Umpire—Hassett. Attendance—3,072.

BUNCHED HITS WON.

Senators Managed to Beat Out Collins' Team.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.—Batting honors were about even, but Washington bunched five singles in the seventh inning and won today's game handily. Boston's infield work was the feature of the game. Score:

Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Moran, s	1	1	3	1	0	Doherty, 1	1	3	3	1	1
Ryan, m	1	1	3	0	0	Collins, 3	0	0	3	6	0
Clarke, 1	1	2	3	0	0	C. Stahl, m	1	2	1	0	0
Selbach, l	1	2	4	0	0	Freeman, r	0	2	0	0	0
Lee, r	0	0	1	0	0	Parent, s	0	0	3	4	0
Cough'n, 3	0	0	1	1	0	LaCh'ce, 1	0	1	10	0	0
McCor'k, 2	0	0	3	3	0	Ferris, 2	0	0	0	3	0
Kit'dge, c	1	2	7	0	0	Criger, c	0	1	3	0	0
Orth, p	0	1	1	1	0	Gibson, p	0	0	1	0	0
						†J. Stahl	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	9	*26	6	0	Totals	2	9	24	14	1

Washington	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	*	—5
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2

*La Chance out for interference. †Batted for Criger.

Two-base hits—Orth, Clarke, C. Stahl 2. Stolen bases—Doherty. Sacrifice hits—Ryan, Orth. Bases on balls—Off Gibson 3. Struck out—By Orth 6, by Gibson 2. Left on bases—Washington 7, Boston 5. Time—1:30. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—1,701.

TWENTY-ONE PERSONS INJURED BY COLLISION

Passenger Train Crashes Into a Freight on the Panhandle in Indiana.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARTFORD CITY, IND., Aug. 3.—A head-on collision at 2:40 this morning between a westbound Panhandle freight and an eastbound passenger injured 21 persons.

The seriously injured:

W. H. MAUL, Logansport; left leg cut and bruised.

GEORGE ALDWORTH, Chicago; going to Ireland; right leg crushed off below the knee.

M. L. BAIM, Richmond; right leg shattered.

C. H. FREDERICK, Ridgeville, Ind.; left leg broken.

J. A. WATTS, Chicago; right leg cut in several places and dislocated.

CHRISTOPHER GERHARDT, Chicago; both legs crushed; hurt internally.

WILLIAM J. WELLS, Chicago; both legs and side innjured.

P. J. BARRETT, Chicago; both legs broken.

GEORGE ROWE, Logansport, engineer of the freight; right foot torn and bruised.

BENJAMIN PALGAORS, Denver, on his way to Italy; right leg bruised.

JOHN R. KLING, Logansport, conductor, going to Bradford to take out the local; left leg broken at the ankle; right foot bruised.

GEORGE GALTWEIN, Chicago, on his way to Boston; feet bruised and cut and back sprained.

E. W. SNYDER, Logansport; right foot crushed.

W. A. RUMELL, Logansport; left leg bruised.

EPHRAIM WHISTLER, Logansport, rural mail carrier; left leg sprained and bruised between the knee and ankle; left side bruised.

RICHARD HAVEY, Elmwood, on his way to Pittsburgh; right leg broken between knee and ankle.

Six others were cut and bruised. The freight train was delayed on the main track by a broken drawbar and a fog prevented the passenger engineer from seeing a flag signal sent ahead, until too late. Both engines were reversed when they met, but the reversal was not made in time to check them to a material extent. The second baggage car telescoped the smoker, tearing through half its length and sweeping the people from its path like chaff.

Pittsburgh officials of the Pennsylvania lines say no one was seriously injured in the wreck near Hartford City. Passenger train No. 10, en route to Columbus from Chicago, passed the flagman on account of the heavy fog, but was running slow when the collision occurred.

Killed Between Cars.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Albert Pennock, an employe on the car dumper at the Carnegie mills at Mingo Junction, was caught between cars while at work tonight, and crushed to death.

LEW MOREN IS WANTED BY CALHOUN AT HAVERHILL

Crack Pitcher, However, Will Play at Millvale—Wilmerding and Manor at Peace.

One local pitcher that "Red" Calhoun would like to have for his Haverhill New England league team, is Lew Moren of the Pittsburgh Athletic club, which is managed by Lew Wentz. Calhoun announced before he left Wilmerding for Haverhill that he would make an effort to gobble up some of the local stars for his club and Moren is one whom he seeks. This youngster, however, is likely to stay at home for the rest of this season. Instead he will pitch Saturday games for Burgess Ed Hickey's Millvale crowd.

The New England league is making strenuous efforts to sign some of the best independent stars in the state. The Lowel club is reported to have offered Bressler, the big right-hander who let the Pittsburgh Nationals down with one hit at Williamsport, one of the biggest salaries ever held our by New England teams to sign. This league is making money and can afford to expend it on players. Calhoun says he gets more money at Haverhill than he did in the National league last year, and at that he was not the lowest paid man in the big league by any means. Lush, who is Bressler's partner at Williamsport, is regarded as another big league possibility. He has turned down offers, one of which was from the Philadelphia Americans. He will enter Georgetown university this fall.

Peace has again been declared between Wilmerding and Manor on the diamond. A series has been arranged and the first game will be played this Saturday at Manor and the next at Wilmerding, August 15. Another series will probably be arranged with Homestead. The Steel Workers have beaten Wilmerding in three straight games. Johnstown will play at Wilmerding, Saturday, August 22. The McKeesport Steel Works team plays a twilight game at Wilmerding this evening, the game being called at 6 o'clock. Stottler will pitch for the home team.

James "Red" Smith, who has been pitching fine ball for the Carnegie Athletic club of Braddock, will join the Rochester team this Saturday. He takes the place of Simpson, who went to Homestead. Smith, who made a good record for himself at the West Virginia university last spring, has been pitching winning ball, but at times in very hard luck.

WALK IS COSTLY.

Cleveland Scores Winning Run on Donovan's Free Passes.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 3.—Donovan's base on balls in the ninth inning, forcing in a run, cost Detroit the game. Joss pitched excellent ball after the first inning. Courtney's fielding was a feature. Score:

Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Flick, r	1	2	2	0	0	Barrett, m	1	1	3	0	0
Bay, m	1	2	1	0	0	Lush, l	1	1	4	0	1
Bradley, 3	0	0	2	3	0	Crawf'd, r	1	1	1	0	0
Lajoie, 2	0	2	0	0	0	Carr, 1	0	1	8	0	0
Hickman 1	1	2	10	1	0	Courtney s	0	1	3	4	0
McCar'y, l	0	0	0	0	0	Buelow, c	0	0	3	2	1
Bemis, c	1	2	6	0	0	Yeager, 3	1	1	0	2	1
Gochn'r, s	1	0	4	2	0	Smith, 2	0	1	0	3	0
Joss, p	0	1	0	2	1	Donovan, p	0	1	0	1	1
Totals	5	9	27	10	1	Totals	4	7	*25	9	4

*One out when winning run was scored.

Cleveland	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	—5
Detroit	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—4

Two-base hits—Flick, Bemis. Three-base hit—Crawford. Sacrifice hit—Crawford. Stolen bases—Hickman, McCarthy. First base on balls—By Donovan 4. Left on bases—Cleveland 8, Detroit 3. Struck out—By Joss 6, by Donovan 3. Wild pitch—Joss. Time—1:47. Umpire—Connelly. Attendance—3,668.

They Have Started Again.

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The All-College basketball team of Pittsburgh was defeated here tonight, 17 to 7. Score:

Butler 17.		All-College 7.
Bonner and McClafferty	L. F.	Thompson
McClafferty and Campbell	R. F.	Laibble
Hays	C.	Mitchell
Brown	L. G.	Sporigl
Young	R. G.	Aiken

Goals—Thompson, Mitchell, Bonner 2, McClafferty, Brown 3, Young. Time—20-minute halves. Umpire—Flack.

Played Carless Ball.

KANE, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Kane and Wellsville (O.) gave a wierd exhibition of baseball today. Kane's easy victory over Wellsville yesterday seemed to make the home team play carelessly, although at no time time was it in danger of losing. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Kane	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	*	—9	10	5
Wellsville	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	—6	12	10

Batteries—Kane, Bennett, Pine and Smith; Wellsville, Black and Nist. Umpire—McDade.

Senators Trade George Carey.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—First Baseman Carey of the Washington baseball club has been traded for Pitcher Hugh Hill of the Nashville Southern league team. Hill will be used as an outfielder in place of the late Fielder Delehanty.

EXPLOSION OF A LAMP CAUSES AWFUL TRAGEDY

Mother and Child Burned to Crisp and Father Dying. Young Girl Survives.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LANCASTER, PA., Aug. 3.—Harry Siple is seriously, perhaps fatally, burned and his wife and 10-year-old son, Etwood, dead, as the result of a fire which occurred tonight at their home in Washington borough, a little town on the Susquehanna river, three miles below Columbia. The fire occurred about 9 o'clock. A 12-year-old daughter escaped with slight burns and tells the story of the tragedy.

Siple had retired to bed, Mrs. Siple was going upstairs when a lamp she was carrying exploded and set fire to her clothing. All ablaze she rushed into the room where her husband lay. The bed clothes caught fire. His night dress in flames, Siple leaped from the window, while his wife, by this time overcome, sank to the floor.

The flames spread over the room so quickly young Elwood Siple, who had been sleeping beside his father, had no chance to escape. His body, burned to a crisp, was afterward found where the bed had stood, in a sitting position, as if he had attempted to get up.

A bucket brigade, hastily formed by the villagers, worked so effectively that the fire did not get beyond the room in which the fatalities occurred. Mrs. Siple's body was almost entirely consumed. Siple's scanty clothing was burned completely off. He is in a precarious condition. A high wind blowing threatened a general conflagration, and the village church and parsonage near by were endangered. Siple is the village blacksmith.

In the Suburbs.

HOMESTEAD—A water pipe in the bathroom of McCurran's hotel burst last night and the water ran down into the store room of J. J. Rattigan & Co. and damaged over $1,000 worth of goods.

HOMESTEAD—The petitions being circulated for delivery of mail in Munhall are being signed very freely, and the papers will be sent to Washington the latter part of next week.

AVALON—Harry Schmidt, a brakeman on the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railroad, had his skull fractured by falling from a moving train yesterday. He was taken to his home in Dinwiddie street.

HOMESTEAD—Joseph Nolan made information before Justice J. B. Jones, charging Eugene Laugherty with the larceny of $72 from his pocket while at work in the Homestead Steel works.

NORTH BRADDOCK—Fire completely gutted the home of Robert Price, in Sixth street, shortly before noon yesterday, causing a loss of $1,000.

WORK OF WOMEN GOES TO LAUNDRY

Mrs. Kate Berger and Mrs. Annie Heller, both of whom have been employed about Allegheny city hall for almost half a century, are no longer employed in keeping clean the towels used about the hall. For years they have washed and ironed the towels used by the officials, but yesterday Mayor Wyman took this work from them and gave it to a laundry.

WATER BOY WINS FEATURED EVENT

Haggins' Horse Favorite With Whitney's Pair, Takes Saratoga Handicap.

HERMIS BEATEN DECISEVELY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Aug. 3.—The summer race meeting of the Saratoga association was auspiciously opened this afternoon. Three stake races were carded, the Flash, of $5,000 for 2-year-olds at five and one-half frulongs; the Ballston cup, a hunter's steeplechase of $2,000 over the full course, and the Saratoga handicap of $12,000 for 3-year-olds at a mile and a quarter. Interest naturally centered chiefly in the handicap, which was won by J. B. Haggins' br. c. Water Boy, in the excellent time of 2:05 3-5. In fact, slow time was not recorded in any of the five races on the flat, the track being in perfect condition.

For the handicap, Water Boy and the Whitney pair, Goldsmith and Gunfire, opened equal favorites at 2½ to 1 and the play was about equally divided between the two. Alexander Shields and his friends waited until the price on Hunter Raine reached 20 to 1 and then played him heavily for place and show.

The horses got off to a perfect start, with Gunfire, Hermis and Caughnawaga a little in front past the stand. The horses ran well bunched until the three-quarters, when Hermis, who had been leading, fell back beaten. Water Boy, who was splendidly handled, took the lead down the stretch, followed by Hunter Raine, who had managed to get through from the rear division. Hunter Raine forced Water Boy to a mild drive, but the race was never in doubt. Caughnawaga, against whom as good as 10 to 1 to show could be obtained, finished third, well in front of Heno. Both of the Whitney pair were well back at the finish, Hermis dropped back so fast that South Trimbled trod on his heels at the turn and fell.

In the steeplechase event, Double Thong, with Mara up, fell in front of the grand stand. The Virginian was steered clear of Mara, who was unhurt and finished the race after his mount had been recaptured. The summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Choctanunda, 125, Jenkins, 9 to 10 and out, won; Leonora Loring, 114, T. Burns, 4 to 5 and out, second; Sadducee, 114, Rice, 150 to 1 and 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:12 1-5.

Second race, the Ballston cup steeplechase, the full course, about 2½ miles—Rockstorm, 146, Green, 8 to 5 and out, won; The Virginian, 154, Donohue, 2 to 1 and out, second; Double Thong, 153, Mara, 11 to 5 and out, third. Time, 5:24.

Third race, the Flash stakes, 5½ furlongs—Tippecanoe, 117, Hicks, 25 to 1 and 8 to 1, won; Ormondes Right, 125, O'Neil, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Monfreson, 117, Redfern, 7 to 1 and 2½ to 1, third. Time, 1:08.

Fourth race, the Saratoga handicap, 1¼ miles—Water Boy, 127, Odom, 13 to 5 and even, won; Hunter Raine, 104, H. Cochran, 15 to 1 and 8 to 1, second; Caughnawaga, —, Jenkins, 50 to 1 and 20 to 1, third. Time, 2:05 3-5.

Fifth race, selling, 5½ furlongs—Yo San, 105, Gannon, 5 to 2 and out, won; Juvenal Maxim, 110, H. Callahan, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Avenger, 107, Hicks, even and out, third. Time, 1:07 4-5.

Sixth race, selling, 1 mile—Vincennes, 103, O'Neil, 7 to 10 and out, won; St. Sever, 103, Fuller, 30 to 1 and 6 to 1, second; Easy Street, 109, Redfern, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:40 4-5.

BIG KILLING MADE.

Jack Ratlin's Victory Proved a Very Good Thing.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Half an hour before the running of the Garden City handicap, at Harlem, today, a heavy rainstorm completely changed the aspect of the race and caused the defeat of the popular colt, Dick Welles. Despite the weather, Dick Welles was made the favorite at 3 to 2, but the best he could do was to finish sixth. With the track conditions against Dick Welles the betting public went to Jack Ratlin, and on his victory a tremendous killing was made. He was steadily pounded from 10 to 1 down to 9 to 2, and then won easily by a length and a half from Athole, after an early drive, which lasted from the head of the stretch to the final sixteenth pole, where the filly gave it up. She had plenty to spare, however, for second place, defeating Orfeo by nearly four lengths. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs—Sardine, 107, Helgesen, 5 to 2, won; The Forum, 97, H. Phillips, 8 to 1, second; Father Wentker, 110, F. Kelly, 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 1-5.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Flo Bob, 110, Wonderly, 13 to 10, won; Fred Lepert, 110, Robbins, 6 to 1, second; Geranium, 97, Helgesen, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:02.

Third race, Garden City handicap, 6 furlongs—Jack Ratlin, 109, F. Bonner, 9 to 1, won; Athola, 97, W. Knap, 7 to 1, second; Orfeo, 91, Treanor, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 3-5.

Fourth race, steeplechase, short course—Golden Link, 152, J. Carter, 2 to 1, won; Tatar, 135, M. Kelly, 15 to 1, second; Indian II., 135, Hueston, 5 to 1, third. Time, 3:36 2-5.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Postmaster Wright, 104, Bonner, 18 to 5, won; McGee, 104, J. Reiff, 2 to 1, second; Orsina, 99, Treanor, 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:46½.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles—Major Tenny, 109, L. Wilson, 2 to 1, won; Moor, 105, Williams, 20 to 1, second; Kilmorie, 90, J. H. Phillips, 2 to 1, third. Time, 2:09 3-5.

DELANEY WRITES THAT JEFFRIES WILL WIN

M. J. Connolly yesterday received a letter from Billy Delaney, manager and trainer of Jim Jeffries, in which he stated that the big champion is in finer condition now than for any battle in which he has ever engaged. Delaney writes that Jeffries is sure to defeat Corbett, but refrains from naming any particular number of rounds.

Mt. Washington Juniors Win Both

The Mt. Washington Juniors beat the Rockfords yesterday 30 to 5 and the Sluggers 16 to 10. The features were the hitting of Morton, Kennoy and Griffiths of the winning team. Score:

FIRST GAME.

									R.	H.	E.
Mt. Washington	4	5	4	5	3	5	4	—30	22	2	
Rockfords	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	—5	10	8	

SECOND GAME.

										R.	H.	E.
Mt. Washington	2	2	3	4	1	2	0	1	1	—16	17	4
Sluggers	0	2	1	3	0	1	0	1	2	—10	12	6

Ohio Works Beat Rayen.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The Ohio Works won today's game in the first inning by hard hitting. Tom Hughes sprained his ankle in running bases and will be out of the game for some time. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Ohio Works	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	—4	8	2
Rayen A. C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	4	2

Batteries—Hughes, Rook and Redmond; Bellstein and Westlake. Umpire—Evans.

Reliance Ready for the Races.

BRISTOL, R. I., Aug. 3.—Completely fitted out for her great contest with the Shamrock III., the Reliance left her builders' works today and proceeded down the bay to Newport.

SELECTIONS FOR TODAY AT SARATOGA TRACK

The Journal and American selections at Saratoga for today:
First—Stalwart, Baseful.
Second—Trinity Bell, Dinkels.
Third—Applause, Mineota.
Fourth—Eugenia Burch, Judith Campbell.
Fifth—King Pepper, Irene Lindsay.
Sixth—The Africander, Slave.
Three best—Dinkels, show; Irene Lindsay, place; Africander, straight.

SHAMROCK III. WINS.

Defeats Shamrock I. by More Then One Mile.

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS, N. J., Aug. 3.—With all the luck against her, Shamrock III. today again proved herself a splendid racer in light winds by beating her pacemaker, Shamrock I., 9 minutes and 57 seconds in a 30-mile windward and leeward race off Sandy Hook.

An hour after the start Shamrock III. was nearly a mile ahead, though not to windward. When both boats headed for the mark, the challenger still led. Shamrock I., from a windward position, fetched the turn, but Capt. Wringe had to make two short tacks. Shamrock I. was more than a mile astern of the challenger at the finish.

Freight Agents Play Ball.

As a midsummer diversion the railroad freight traffic men met on the diamond yesterday at Friendship park, Bloomfield. The nines were selected from the membership of the Traffic club of Pittsburgh and the traveling and contracting freight agents, the latter team defeating the former by a score of 3 to 2. Seven pitched for the agents and Campbell for the Traffic club. The teams were as follows: Traffic club, W. T. Campbell, G. Chipley, L. H. Constans, S. Y. Baldwin, F. A. Ogden, J. S. Nelson, J. A. Coakley, D. F. Hurd and J. E. Weller; agents, F. Weller, Clarke, Seven, A. S. Wallace, E. Corfield, Martin, Lenox, Ryan and M. Cordell.

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Fractured His Skull While Trying to Turn Somersault—New Safeguards Against Drowning in the Surf—Opera on Young's Pier.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Young's Ocean Pier.
ATLANTIC CITY, PA., Aug. 3.

Charles M. Schwab is looked upon as one of the celebrities of this resort, but he finds it an easy matter to escape attention. He evidently likes the immunity he enjoys here from the focus of the eye of the public. He elbows his way in the crowd and takes to the average amusement to be found here with the interest of the ordinary visitor. He is seen little in the foyer or the exchange of the Marlborough, and if not in his apartments he is on the boardwalk or in his automobile, a big, fast machine. Along with him on the speedway today were a score of machines, some faster and some slower.

Safeguard Against Drowning.

The lives of foolhardy bathers will be better safeguarded hereafter. The recent drownings and the cry that they caused all over the country for a more efficient plan of rescuing those who were foolish enough to swim beyond their depth, has caused the city to act in the matter. Today workmen commenced the erection of platforms along the water line on which will be mounted a life guard, who will be able from his elevated position to better see when a swimmer has become exhausted, and who can direct the guards in the water as to how to proceed. The platforms will be equipped with the necessary restoratives, and the guards will be able to resuscitate a partly drowned person without the interference of a mob of bathers. There was some hesitancy about erecting the platform because they were suggested by an eccentric, the Mayor of the Boardwalk. Platforms for the guards have been the hobby of the mayor for several years. Everybody admitted that the idea was a good one, but it was not adopted because it was suggested by a weak-minded man, who imagines that he is the ruler and guardian of the boardwalk and the beach.

Mayor Won't Go on Stage.

As a matter of fact this "lunatic" has done enough good in Atlantic City to deserve a pension from the city fathers. The mayor of the boardwalk has, by the way, decided not to go on the stage. The offer made to him was a good one and there is no doubt but that he would have proven an attraction as a lecturer of the delights of Atlantic City. He is known all over the country by persons who have come here and watched him cleaning the boardwalk of rubbish with a flick of his iron-bound stick, but he said that he had two reasons for refusing the engagement. The first was that his beloved boardwalk would not be kept clean during his tour of the country. The other reason he gave was that the manager of the company grossly insulted him. He declared that Lew Dockstader demanded that he shave off his whiskers and blacken his face with burnt cork. The mayor of the boardwalk is proud of his whiskers and he left the stage in disgust.

"Bob White's" Latest Hit.

Nixon & Zimmerman's new production of "Miss Bob White," under the personal leadership of Fred G. Nixon Nirdlinger was seen here tonight for the first time before an audience that crowded Young's Pier Music hall. Willard Spencer, the author and composer, was also present, and declared that the new cast was never better than heard in the opera before. Personal hits were scored by Frank Deshon, Nell McNeil, Robert Broderick, Harry Wilson, Dorothy Hunting, Alice Doby, Edith Blair and Marion Granger.

Would-Be Athlete Hurt.

While trying to turn a flying handspring on the beach today in imitation of professional athletes, William McGuire, 21 years old, of Pittsburgh, fell on his head. He was taken to the hospital with concussion of the brain and may die.

Arrested for Not Closing.

There was great surprise today when John L. Young, owner of the ocean pier, and E. C. Boyce, proprietor of the old mill, were arrested charged with violating the Sunday closing law. Warrants were served on the well-known amusement caterers in fulfillment of the assurance given on Saturday that any violators of the city ordinance governing the keeping open of places of amusement on the Sabbath would be taken into custody. Acting under orders from Mayor Stoy, all officers and detectives were instructed on Saturday by Chief of Police Eldridge to secure evidence of any violators of the law. Due notice of the intended action of the authorities was served on all proprietors or managers of boardwalk amusements. The result was that the majority complied with the mayor's orders. The amusement men entered bail for a hearing, the date of which has not been determined. As a matter of fact the entertainment on Young's pier was devoid of anything that one would expect to hear at a sacred concert on a Sunday night. The old mill was run for but a short time in the afternoon to test the matter. Now that arrests have been made some lively scrimmages may be looked for.

Pittsburghers at the Hotels.

BREXTON.
E. Garret,
Miss B. Hennesey,
BOWKERS.
John H. Moore,
Samuel Gustave,
CHETWOODE.
Clarence M. Breeder,
Frank Bowen,
COLMAN.
F. M. Hammond,
Miss Hammond.
EDEN HALL.
James S. Royal,
Miss Braddock.
FREDONIA.
Mrs. J. Roney,
J. Roney,
Miss S. Ingram.
KILLCOURSE.
Miss Annie Crawford,
CONQUERORS.
Miss Sarah Jones,
Mary Boggs.
LA TOURAINE.
Mrs. A. G. Harmes,
Miss Grace Harmes,
J. W. Platt,
Mrs. J. W. Platt,
A. Hannen,
S. R. Hirschfield,
H. Houman.
MORRIS.
Miss Moorehead,
Mrs. Moorehead.
MERVINE.
Harry Harrett,
Miss Clara Campbell.
ROSSMORE.
Miss N. Richards,
Miss Huston.
RIO GRANDE.
Miss Lynne,
Miss M. Williams.
RITTENHOUSE.
H. Kunkle,
Mr. Affelder,
E. Ebberts,
Harry Landis,
Mrs. Harry Landis,
Mrs. F. Newman,
N. Henry,
Miss B. Scott,
H. S. Chalfonte.
BEAUMONT.
Mrs. B. T. Ripple.
BEACON FIELD.
C. Fellner,
R. C. Landon.
CLAREDON.
E. Weinger,
Mrs. E. Weinger,
A. C. Jolly,
E. Jolly,
T. Neall,
Mrs. T. Neall,
Lawrence Friedman.
COLUMBIA.
Mrs. L. S. Stoner,
Mrs. W. J. Allen,
Miss L. A. Martin,
L. Alendorf,
John B. Smith,
Albert S. Groome,
J. S. Hogan,
W. P. Adams,
John C. Moore,
A. L. Groome.
CHALFONTE.
E. Wheeler,
H. Schumacher,
Charles Garland,
Charles Garland, Jr.,
E. B. Moyer,
Mrs. E. B. Moyer,
Miss Moyer.
DENNIS.
George B. Foster,
Mrs. H. D. Williams,
Miss MacFall,
Mrs. George Foster,
Mrs. Mary Jones,
John B. Donaldson,
Miss N. Harrison,
D. Howard Brown,
A. P. McCord.
HADDON HALL.
W. Todd,
Mrs. W. Todd,
M. P. Dowling,
William Whitaker,
H. H. Dixon.
SOUTHERN.
Joseph M. Kelly,
Mrs. J. M. Kelly,
Lewis Kelly,
Joseph Kelly, Jr.,
Jean L. Kelly.
SILVERTON.
E. Cunningham,
Mrs. E. Cunningham,
Miss Eleanor Cunningham,
W. W. Husong,
T. W. O. Rocorthe,
Joseph V. Schister,
John V. Schister, Jr.,
William L. Messler,
John H. Bair,
Miss T. J. Rogers,
Miss Eleanor Rogers,
H. Swan,
Mrs. H. Swan.
STRAND.
Harry Shaw,
John Robinson,
D. B. McKay,
Mrs. A. Holmes,
Miss G. Holmes,
A. Holmes,
Edward Broser.
SAN JOSE.
Miss Lizzie Knorr,
Charles Clements.
WORTHINGTON.
Miss Greenspan,
Miss Potter.
CHELTENHAM.
Miss Alice Haines,
M. Miller.
DUQUESNE-MARION.
Mrs. S. R. Sullivan,
Leslie Sullivan,
T. H. Doland,
William Sandanz,
Miss Underhill,
Miss M. Hans,
P. R. McCabe,
Mrs. L. L. Denniston.
YOUNG'S HOTEL.
Miss Smyth,
Howard Collins,
Miss Hubbard.
BRADDOCK.
Miss Mamie Saunders,
Miss C. Beale,
Henry Harper.
CARLETON HALL.
Miss H. Hiller,
Mr. Simons.
HAINES' HOTEL.
Harry V. English,
Miss Crist,
Mrs. H. Crist.
AVON INN.
G. Benner,
Mrs. G. Benner,
S. Woodsworth,
Nance Foster.
ELWOOD.
Mrs. John Dunkel and family,
B. A. Carr,
Mrs. B. A. Carr,
Miss Amy Altheiser,
Mrs. M. Vincton,
John King,
Mrs. John King.
GLENDALE.
Mrs. W. D. Booth,
Miss Blanche Booth.
HYGEIA.
Miss M. Leese,
Mrs. John Altman,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Altman and child,
John Gallagher,
M. A. Muller.
ISLESWORTH.
L. Crone,
Charles L. Spiadan.
MARLBOROUGH.
G. M. Black,
Miss Black,
Miss Alexander,
William G. Price,
Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Lytle and children.
MT. VERNON.
John Davis,
Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gushenderson and child,
Dr. F. A. Davies,
E. F. Gwynne,
Mrs. Gwynne,
Mrs. W. V. Depuey,
Miss Mary Depuey.
RALEIGH.
J. W. Carpenter,
Mrs. J. W. Carpenter,
Howard Carpenter.
MORTON.
W. J. Lindsley,
Mrs. W. J. Lindsley,
Mary J. Polley,
Rosetta Polley.
SHOREHAM.
E. Kelly,
Ed. Hurley,
N. E. Frazier,
Miss N. F. Applegate,
W. F. Applegater, Jr.
ST. CHARLES.
Mrs. E. C. Gripp,
C. Gripp,
Raymond Gripp.
WAVERLY.
Adam Rote,
Miss F. Rote,
Frank C. Rote,
W. C. LITTLE.

FAMILY EVICTED, CHILD DIES

Mother, With Babe and Two Older Children, Had Walked Streets Two Weeks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Dispossessed of her home, Mrs. Catherine Bealing, with her baby in her arms and two other children at her side, walked the streets of Flushing for two weeks vainly seeking aid. The only refuge they could find were barns and sheds. Last night the starving family slept on straw in an abandoned tool house. All the children were ill and one of them died during the night.

Whn this became known offers of assistance came from many persons and the health dpartment took charge of the family. The dead child had suffered from malignant diphtheria and it was feared that the family might have spread the disease.

The father of the family has long been out of work.

FIGHT AGAINST RECEIVER.

Union Iron Works Case Is Argued in Court at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—Attorney Pillsbury began his argument in the matter of the appointment of a receiver for the Union Iron works this morning before Judge Beatty, in the circuit court. Mr. Pillsbury represents the Mercantile Trust Company of New York, the reorganization committee of the insolvent Shipbuilding Company and the North American Company. He opposes the appointment of a receiver, arguing that the Union Iron works must be considered as independent of the Shipbuilding Company in the matter of government contracts.

"In order to complete the vessels now building," continued Mr. Pillsbury, "especially the Ohio, it would be necessary to borrow a large amount of money."

This, he argued, would be hampered by the appointment of a receiver.

BRADDOCK STREETS FLOODED.

Sewers Burst, Doing Much Damage to Stores and Dwellings.

Unable to hold the rush of water from a sudden and terrific rainstorm which swept over Braddock and vicinity late yesterday afternoon, a number of sewers in Braddock avenue, near Library street, burst, flooding a dozen or more stores and dwellings and doing serious damage to the plant of the Atlantic Refining Company, in Corey avenue. The yards of the Braddock Lumber Company were flooded and service on the Pittsburgh Railways Company lines was suspended for nearly an hour. The losses will aggregate about $500.

Several sewers burst in other parts of Braddock, doing equally as much damage. Corey avenue and Library street, however, were the principal thoroughfares inundated. Cellars in many residences were completely filled with water and in some cases the flood covered the first floor. The damage to the streets was greater than to the stores and residences and it is believed that the cost of repairing the sewers and paving will run into the thousands.

KILLED HIS WIFE AND SHOT HER MANAGER

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—In a fit of jealous rage Lou Heine, a gypsy, shot and killed his wife tonight in a tent at Woodside park, one of the pleasure resorts of this city. After killing the woman he probably fatally shot a young man who was with her, knocked down several bystanders and made his way to the adjacent woods, where he succeeded in making his escape. Mrs. Heine was a fortune teller. The couple had quarreled and the husband deserted her. Mrs. Heine then engaged the young man to take her husband's place as manager.

RECEIVERS AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Judge Brown in the United States court today authorized Messrs. Lucy & Smith, the receivers for the firm of Norcross Bros. Company, to issue and negotiate at their discretion from time to time, 6 per cent, receivers' certificates of indebtedness of convenient denominations, not to exceed in the aggregate $125,000. These certificates by their terms will be a lien on all property in the hands of the receivers as obligations incidental to the receivership.

NEGRO WHO CAUSED RIOT SENTENCED TO LONG TERM

DANVILLE, ILL., Aug. 3.—James Wilson, the negro whom a mob attempted to lynch on July 24, causing a race war that was quelled by state troops, indicted by the grand jury today on a charge of attempting to assault Mrs. Burgess of Alvin, Ill., was taken into court, allowed to enter a plea of guilty and sentenced to a long term in the state prison. The grand jury will at once take up the case of the men who have been arrested for taking part in the mob outbreak.

Comus Club Dance.

Cards were issued some time ago for the third Comus club dance given last evening at Kennywood park. The dance was well attended and was one of the most enjoyable of the series, which is proving so successful. Music was furnished by St. Clair's orchestra. The committee having charge of the affair consisted of W. A. Gilleland, Jr., R. A. Braznell, S. L. Blachly, Jr., and W. J. Knorr, Jr. The date for the next dance is set as August 21, the last of the series to take place September 28.

Big Realty Deal in McKeesport.

One of the largest deals in McKeesport realty in recent years has been completed. By it the Catherine Soles farm of 74 acres passes into the control of the Greater Pittsburgh Land Company. The deal was engineered by William N. Soles, a son of the former owner of the property, and Attorney I. L. Jones. The property sold extends 172 feet back from Fifth avenue, beginning at a point near the Hardy bridge, and continues to Hartman street, an equal distance. The consideration was $120,000. It is the intention of the Pittsburghers who form the syndicate to open the land for building lots.

Going to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Borner of Carson street have made plans to leave the city today. They expect to go to California for a visit of three months. They are among the oldest and best-known residents of the South Side.

LEADERS HAD TO ACCEPT CANDIDATE OF LABOR

Friend of the Miners to Be Delegate to National Convention from Luzerne.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 3.—At a pow-wow of Republican leaders of the county, held today, to decide upon the second delegate to the national convention, Louis N. Hammerling was virtually agreed upon. He, with Congressman Palmer, will represent Luzerne county in the convention.

An effort was made to have Albert Leisenring, the coal operator of Upper Lehigh, selected as the second delegate, but Hammerling served notice on the leaders that if he was thrown down there would be a lot of trouble ahead for the Republican county ticket this fall. As Hammerling is one of the leaders of the foreign element in the county, and took a prominent part in the miners' strike last year, the leaders were afraid to take chances, and it was decided that Hemmerling should go as a delegate.

Hammerling's triumph is a setback for Sol Bacharach, who has been here for a week trying to form a combination to defeat Hammerling. It is said Bacharach and Representatives Hartman and Holcomb will be in control of the coming county convention.

FAULKNER'S THIRD TRIAL.

Suburban Boodle Case Up Again and Surprise Sprung—Lehman Is Sentenced.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—The third trial of former Delegate Harry Faulkner, indicted and once convicted on the charge of perjury in connection with the Suburban boodle deal, began today in the circuit court before Judge Douglas.

Faulkner was convicted and sentenced to two years' imprisonment on his first trial, but the supreme court reversed and remanded the case.

The second trial last week ended in a hung jury. A surprise was sprung by the defense by summoning as witnesses former Delegates Charles F. Kelly, Jere J. Hannigan, Louis Decker and Emile Hartmann, each of whom had been convicted of either bribery or perjury.

In the circuit court today, Judge Ryan sentenced Julius Lehmann, former member of the house of delegates, to seven years' imprisonment in the penitentiary on the charge of bribery in connection with the city lighting boodle deal.

PRIZES FOR TRIPLETS.

Port Warden March Offers Inducements for Large Families on His Annual Outing.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Port Warden James E. March will give his annual outing to the Loyal Republican club of the Sixth assembly district and the James E. March association on Wednesday, August 19, at Greenwood lake, on the Erie road.

The Gov. Odell prize, a cord of wood, will be awarded to the family from the Sixth district with the most sets of triplets on the excursion, and the Mayor Low prize, three barrels of flour, to the family from the Sixth with the greatest number of twins at the excursion.

WORKS ON BIRTHDAY.

Russell Sage Is 87 Years Old Today, but Will Be at Office Just the Same.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Russell Sage, still the largest loaner in Wall street, and said to have more ready money than any other individual in the street, tomorrow celebrates the eighty-seventh anniversary of his birth. Mr. Sage will celebrate the day by working.

"What will I do tomorrow?" Mr. Sage repeated in response to an inquiry. "Why, I will be at my office. I always have a good market on my birthday." Mr. Sage's health is good.

LESSON INTERRUPTED.

Green Motorman Arrested While Being Taught the Trade.

James Posey alias James Mills, was arrested last night by Detective Louis Leff at Fifth avenue and Wood street. On April 10 Posey and Harry Golden were held for court by Alderman J. R. Connor, charged with taking goods valued at $150 from the men's furnishing store of J. M. Montgomery at Fifth avenue and Chestnut street.

Both men entered bail for their appearance and Golden showed up in court and was sentenced for receiving stolen goods. Posey forfeited his $1,000 bail and had been at liberty ever since. Yesterday the detective saw him on the front end of a trolley car, being taught to be a motorman. He was taken off and placed under arrest.

Plate Glass Factory Burned.

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 3.—The plant of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, at Broadway, Court and Eggleston avenues, was completely destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is estimated at $150,000, which is covered by insurance.

WHAT TO EAT.

Valuable Suggestions for the Kitchen and Dining Room.

Conducted by Lida Ames Willis, Marquette building, Chicago, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

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MENUS.

Wednesday.

BREAKFAST.
Mushmelon Iced.
Cereal. Cream.
Eggs in Tomato Shells.
Creamed New Potatoes.
Rice Muffins. Coffee.

LUNCH.
Sliced Cold Boiled Tongue.
Sliced Cucumbers.
White Bread and Butter. Cocoa.

DINNER.
Puree of Turnip.
Roast Beef, Pan Gravy.
Flaked Potatoes.
Creamed New Corn.
Boiled Cauliflower, Butter Sauce.
Tomato Jelly Salad.
Junket with Cream. Coffee.

Thursday.

BREAKFAST.
Iced Cherries.
Cereal. Cream.
Creamed Fish, Lyonnaise Potatoes.
Toast. Coffee.

LUNCH.
Clam Chowder.
Pop Overs. Fruit. Chocolate.

DINNER.
Julienne Soup.
Roast Chicken, Giblet Gravy.
Mashed Potatoes.
Baked Egg Plant.
Creamed New Turnips.
Pepper and Lettuce Salad.
Iced Fruit. Cheese. Wafers.
Coffee.

Friday.

BREAKFAST.
Red Plums.
Cereal. Cream.
Scalloped Eggs. Potatoes Hashed
Rolls. Coffee.

LUNCH.
Clam Fritters.
Berry Muffins. Fruit. Gold Cake.
Cocoa.

DINNER.
Cream of Pea Soup.
Steamed Cod, Parsley Sauce.
Boiled Rice.
Fried Summer Squash. String Beans.
Cucumber and Lettuce Salad.
Steamed Berry Pudding. Soft Sauce.
Coffee.

Cucumber Sandwiches.

Peel and slice young cucumbers very thin and lay in French dressing for half an hour. Add one teaspoonful of chopped olives and a dash of paprika. Place between thinly sliced, lightly buttered bread.

Broiled Cucumbers.

Peel, slice and throw into ice water two cucumbers and allow to remain for half an hour; boil these in salted water until tender. Drain, dip in beaten egg, then in bread crumbs, then in egg; place on a hot broiler and cook until a golden brown. Serve hot with cream sauce and garnish with parsley.

POPULAR NEW CASTLE GIRL BECOMES A BRIDE

MR. AND MRS. HARVEY B. BROOKS.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey B. Brooks of this city returned today from Canton, O., where their marriage was solemnized Saturday at noon. The bride, who was Miss Nell Biddle, is one of the most popular society girls of this city, and the announcement of their marriage is being received here with wide interest. She is the eldest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Biddle of Highland avenue, while the groom is one of the local official force of the American Tin Plate Company. The bride's mother and sisters are spending the summer at Chautauqua, while she has for some weeks been visiting relatives in Ohio, where her marriage took place. The ceremony was performed at the home of her aunt by the Rev. Mr. Holmes, pastor of the First Methodist church of Canton. The bride is a graduate of the Beaver college, and is widely known in Beaver valley society circles as well as in this city.

SOLD HIS STOCK.

President Postal of Washington American League Team Steps Down and Out.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—President Postal of the Washington American league team, tonight disposed of his stock in the club to four of the present stockholders. Charles Jacobson, one of the purchasers, will be the new head of the organization, while Tom Loftus will be retained as manager.

President Ban Johnson arrived tonight, and it was after midnight when the deal was consummated. Since coming to Washington, Mr. Postal had acquired certain holdings of the stock which gave him a 52 per cent interest in the club. The formal transfer will be made tomorrow.

SIGNATURE STARTLES SON.

Receives Message of Mother's Illness in Dead Father's Name.

Howard T. Lingo of No. 620 Amber street, East End, while working at the Westinghouse works in East Pittsburgh, was startled early this morning by receiving a telegram from Cumberland, Md., that his mother, Mrs. Sarah J. Lingo, who also resides in East End, is ill. The message was signed by Mr. Lingo's father's name, and as his father has been dead for the last 12 years, he was somewhat startled on seeing the signature to the message.

Mr. Lingo telephoned the matter to The Gazette office at 1:30 o'clock this morning and said that he would take the train leaving Pittsburgh at 2:10 for Cumberland, Md., where his mother is visiting relatives at her old home. Mr. Lingo said that on Saturday he received a letter from his mother, but there was no mention made of her being ill.

GOOD FORTUNE OF GIRLS WHO WILL BE SPINSTERS

NORTHAMPTON, MASS., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Good fortune has befallen Martha Hardwell of Hatfield, a school teacher, and Miss Susan Loomis of East Hampton, a stenographer. They have been adopted by S. S. Simmons, a wealthy retired business man of Hartford, Conn. One of the provisions of the adoption is that the young women shall not marry until after Mr. Simmons' death.

Killed Brother and Hid Body.

DUSHORE, PA., Aug. 3.—Harry Tubbs, aged 10, today accidentally shot and killed his brother Fred, aged 8, in a tussle for the possession of a gun. The parents were absent and Harry to hide his deed carried the brother's body from the house to the bushes nearby. Neighbors found the body.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

George W. Goodwin	Rankin
Lizzie Wright	Braddock
J. Vance Roller	Wilkinsburg
Bertha Potter	Wilkinsburg
William Kretzler	Pittsburgh
Clara F. O'Neil	Emsworth
Frederick A. Shetck	Carrick
Mary Liesegang	Carrick
Raymond T. Fisher	Pittsburgh
Ida May Coffy	Pittsburgh
Charles J. Almasy	Knoxville
Lizzie Nagel	Knoxville
Frank S. D. Reynolds	Allegheny
Myrtle E. Topper	Pittsburgh
Samuel Riley	Pittsburgh
Mildred Morris	Pittsburgh
Harry J. Schreiber	Undercliff
Edna C. Sorg	Allegheny
Robert F. Bird	Pittsburgh
Maggie Brown	Pittsburgh
Samuel Goldstein	Pittsburgh
Jennie Caspar	Pittsburgh
David Underwood	Beadling
Emma Lizzie Pascoe	Banksville
Louis Ehrhart	Allegheny
Elizabeth Craney	Allegheny
Joseph A. Blockinger	Bolivar
Rosa M. Stumpf	Carrick
Wallace W. Weible	Etna
Bertha B. Hassinger	Glenshaw
Thomas Holleran	Pittsburgh
Julia Holleran	Pittsburgh
Fedod Lewons	McKees Rocks
Tillie Williams	McKees Rocks
William Reynolds	Rankin
Bettie Black	Rankin
Charles Weller	McKees Rocks
Lizzie Schuller	McKees Rocks
Sylvester Middleton	Becks Run
Catherine Cagan	Becks Run
James Kerrigan	Moon Run
Mary Lamb	Moon Run
Edward E. Shultz	Pittsburgh
Margaret H. McCracken	Potts Grove
Stephen M. McCue	Coraopolis
Nora Sweeney	Coraopolis
William Y. Hutchinson	Allegheny
Grace Midgley	Allegheny
August J. Sell	Pittsburgh
Matilda A. Dauenhauer	Pittsburgh
John J. Dauenhauer	Marion, Ind.
Catherine C. Dippold	Pittsburgh
Harry E. Beck	Wilkinsburg
Jean McKee	Wilkinsburg
Samuel J. Huttner	Pittsburgh
Jennie Esther York	Carnegie
James Mead	Pittsburgh
Ethel Smith	Pittsburgh
Stewart O. Mertz	Pittsburgh
Edith Gertrude Godley	Allegheny
Carl Hultgren	McKeesport
Ida M. Helsel	McKeesport
Charles S. Russ	Pittsburgh
Hilda G. Braun	Pittsburgh
John F. Ruth	Allegheny
Mary E. Kerr	Allegheny

SOCIETY

A NUMBER of late summer weddings will take place today, all of which are of interest to Pittsburghers. Among them is the wedding of Miss Jennie Esther York of Carnegie and Samuel J. Kuttner of Pittsburgh. The ceremony will be performed in the South Highland auditorium this evening. Miss York is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph York of Carnegie.

Miss Nellie Cathryn Nolan will today become the bride of George Mathias Reinhardt. The attendants at this wedding will be Miss May F. Nolan, a sister of the bride-elect, as maid of honor, and C. W. Roesler as best man. The marriage will be solemnized in St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, in Lawrenceville.

A pretty home event will be the marriage, taking place today, of Miss Hannah Henning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Henning of Nashville, Tenn., and Louis H. Broudy of this city. Both young people are well-known in Pittsburgh and Allegheny, the bride through several visits made to friends in the two cities. The future home of the young couple will be made in Pittsburgh.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Canevin will perform the marriage ceremony for Miss Hilda Braun and Charles Russ, which will be an event of today. Miss Braun is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Braun of Ivanhoe street. After the ceremony, which is to take place at the Epiphany residence, Mr. Russ and his bride will leave for a short trip, later making their home in Ivanhoe street.

Fishing Club Leaves.

The 22d annual outing of the Iron City Fishing club began yesterday, when the club members and their guests left over the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie for Canada. The party will go direct to Penetang without changing trains, as has heretofore been the case. Arriving at Penetang they will be met by the club's steamer, the John G. Lee, which will carry them to the club reservation on Sandy Beach. The return trip will be made Friday, August 28, the trip including a few hours' stop at Niagara Falls. In the party were the following: William W. Bell, Miss Josephine Bell, Miss Margaret Bell, Miss Adaline Van Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson, Dr. E. M. Davis, Miss Fannie Scott, Oswald G. Boyle, William Speer, Fred W. Kiefer, Mrs. Fred W. Kiefer, Miss Alice Maxwell, Alydia Maxwell, Miss Sarah Donaldson, Miss Urusla Bayne, Miss Estella Lohr, Prof. Joseph Jennings, Miss Elsie Keifer, Ralph Keifer, Theodore Gerwig, W. J. Auburn, J. A. Lynch, Dr. James Meechem, Miss Jessie Meechem, Miss Stella Meechem, Miss Helen Dickson, Valentine Oldshue, Miss Susan Paul, Miss Catherine McFarland, E. A. Peffer, W. R. Fitch, Mrs. Fitch, Caroline Fitch, Miss Georgiana Carpenter, Don Rose, Royal Thomas, Thomas B. Moreland, Jr., V. W. Boyd, Miss Annie Galley, John A. Wood, Jr., Mrs. Wood, Miss Elsie Dout, Miss Grace Hunnings, Dr. Floyd Simeral, Miss Mary F. Simeral, Miss Fanny Denlinger, Miss Edith Jamison, R. E. Edmonds, Mrs. Edmonds and two children, J. A. Houser, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kinnear, Miss Bertha Kleam, the Rev. R. W. Hunter, Miss Elsie Vaughn, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Horner, George C. Applegate, Miss Jean Balph, Miss Hester Balph, Pollock Balph, the Rev. W. F. Conner, J. H. Harrison, George Harrison, S. W. Cunningham, W. S. Horner, Mrs. Horner, Vaughn Horner, Lucille Horner, J. L. Klingensmith, Mrs. Klingensmith, the Rev. J. W. Miles, Mrs. J. P. McConahey, J. P. McConahey, Pollock, the [illegible] C. W. Smith, Mrs. Smith, Miss Edna Smith, Lutellas Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith, Chester Smith, John T. Wilson, John A. Wood, Lulu M. Wood, Ella Wood Miller, Minnette Miller, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Wood, Bertha Glazier, J. Frank Miller, Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Trees, Joseph Graham Trees, Meryl Trees, Joseph Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. John S. B. Merce, Raymond Mercer, Ben Dangerfield, Miss Alice Dangerfield, Miss Florence Dangerfield, Dr. J. J. Thomas, Arthur Thomas, Charles Parkin, Mrs. Parkin and Miss Alice Parkin, Edwin and Bruce Parkin, A. A. Horne, J. Walter Miles, William Parkin, David Bemis, Benjamin Bemis, Thomas James, Mrs. James, Gertrude, Charles and Lloyd James, Miss Rose Edsall and Charles E. Edsall.

Charity Work in the Valley.

The Faith society of Shields and Edgeworth has made a very favorable report for the past year. Their work consisted of distributing, after having made or repaired, nearly 100 garments, besides shoes, stockings, hats and money. Those prominent in the work are Mrs. Robert Wardrop, Mrs. George McCague, Mrs. S. B. M. Hooker, Mrs. H. M. Atwood, Miss Atwood, Mrs. H. M. Long, Mrs. Stowe, Mrs. William Wardrop, Mrs. E. A. Woods, Mrs. E. H. Stewart, Mrs. E. P. Young, Mrs. C. B. McKnight, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. David Anderson and Mrs. Frederick Jones.

For the Moncrieffs.

Mrs. David G. Stewart of the East End will be hostess at a luncheon today in honor of Sir Colin and Lady Scott Moncrieff, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Aston Gormely of "The Barracks." Mrs. Stewart's luncheon will be followed by a drive through the parks and a dinner at the Pittsburgh Country club. Mrs. John Haworth gives a breakfast this morning at her home, "Misscroft," Edgeworth.

Cards in the East End.

An exceedingly pretty card party was given last evening with Mrs. J. Goodrich Ruple of the East End, as hostess. Miss Pauline Semple, a niece of the hostess, was honor guest. The other guests included many young people and the decorations were dainty but simple. Miss Semple is en route from Washington, D. C., where she has been spending some time, to her home in Denver. A number of little affairs are being planned for her.

Off for Europe.

J. D. O'Brien and family left the city last night for New York where they will take ship for Europe. Henry J. O'Brien will wait until the sailing of the J. D. O'Briens, when he and his family will return to their home in Denver. They have been making a visit in this city for some time.

At Sandy Lake.

Sandy Lake is the destination of a party of Pittsburghers who left the city yesterday. Dr. and Mrs. Hogan, Miss Mollie O'Leary, Mrs. James Austin, Miss Ruth Austin, Mrs. Bailey and Miss Helen Bailey, and Mrs. Thomas Doran composed the party.

Royal Arcanum Excursion.

The members of the Royal Arcanum and their friends will spend today at Conneaut lake, two special trains conveying them thither this morning. The party returns this evening, the train being due at 8 o'clock.

Social Notes.

The Eleventh Presbyterian church of the West End holds its annual picnic at Rock Springs today.

The Rev. Harry E. Bright of Staten Island, New York, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bright of Oakmont.

Miss Evelyn B. Hamm of McClellandtown is the house guest of Miss Elsie M. Aston. Miss Hamm and Miss Aston were students at the Southwestern State Normal at California.

Miss Elizabeth Keifer of Lawrenceville left yesterday for an extended western trip. Many points of interest will be visited by Miss Keifer before her return, these to include Los Angeles, San Francisco and Denver.

Coming and Going.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd of Linden avenue, Miss Mary and Miss Jane Lloyd, are spending a month at Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Miss Bessie Howe goes to Hot Springs, Va., tomorrow. Miss Howe's former plans were delayed on account of the illness of an aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Wells, Jr., and Miss Theodosia Wells of Maryland avenue will leave about August 20 for Les Chenaux islands.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Aaron of Beechwood boulevard and Denniston avenue will spend the remainder of the summer in Atlantic City, leaving this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. O'Bryan, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. O'Bryan, will return to their home in Denver tomorrow. They will be accompanied by their family.

Mrs. Joseph S. Brown, Miss Stella, Miss Helen and Miss Dorothy Brown, Joseph S. Brown, Jr., and Francis Brown are spending this month at the seashore. They were at the Masonic Country club, Ohio Pyle, during the month of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Burleigh left Pittsburgh on Saturday to continue their wedding trip through the east. Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh will return to the city about September 1, when they will make their home with Mr. Burleigh's parents, in Forbes street.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Griffith are spending the summer near Toronto, Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Griffith will return to Pittsburgh about August 20, at that time giving up their home at Walnut and Maryland streets and removing to a new home in Howe street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Jarvis Adams of Fifth avenue are established in their summer home, Estas Park, near Denver, having left about a week ago. S. Jarvis Adams, Jr., leaves Thursday next to spend the month of August out of town. He will not, however, go to Denver.

Mrs. Jacob Keil and Miss Sara Keil of Westminster and Aiken avenues are leaving today for Scarborough, Me. Miss Florence Keil, who is at present in Europe, is expected to return to this country about August 2. Mrs. Keil and Miss Sara will meet her in New York, all returning to Scarborough to remain until September.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Young, who with their daughter, Miss Alice Young, and their son, Master Philip Young, were to have gone to Cape May on August 1, have changed their plans on account of Mrs. Young's health, which is very poor. At present their plans are very undecided, but they may leave later for some watering place.

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Opening of Theatrical Season. Fall of Pompeii's Last Week

The theatrical season for 1903-4 was opened in Pittsburgh yesterday, when the Bijou theater and the Academy of Music opened their doors for matinee performances. Despite the warm weather and counter-attractions, theatergoers showed that they were ready for the resumption of stage shows and both houses had large audiences.

Duquesne Garden—"The Mikado."

The married man who flirts—just a little, will have a good time at Duquesne Garden this week. Likewise the anxious mamma and the maiden lady who has skipped birthdays for several seasons will find much to comfort them. And for the young girl just in the midst of her first love affair or the bashful wooer there is a fund of merriment. "The Mikado," Gilbert and Sullivan's joint production, is in itself a jolly piece of witty dialogue and fetching music. In the hands of the local stock company who have spent weeks in hard rehearsals it takes on new interest, and is one of the most satisfactory entertainments that has been on the Garden stage this summer. There is a sort of a careless fling to the whole performance that delights the hearers and makes them take an additional interest in the work of the actors. The costumes are pretty in Japanese effects and with the grotesque make-up of the actors, add much to the general interest of the entertainment. John T. Martin has the difficult role of the real Mikado, whose edicts are so fatal to the man who thinks lightly of flirting. Harry Davies as Nanki Poo is even more popular than he was as Manrio in "Il Travatore," and his companion in trouble, Yum Yum, is a role that brings out all the bewitching ways of that popular actress, Mary Carrington. If an old woman in love can be funny Josephine Bartlett proves it, for in the role of Katisha she brings down the house. Perhaps the most taking part of the whole evening's program were the short, witty songs and ditties, not the least amusing of which was the Mikado's "Willow Song." In the palm garden Myrtle Arndt held the audience for a half hour with some delightful melodies.

The Bijou—West's Minstrels.

Old-time jubilee singers, it seems, will never lose their place in the hearts of the people. Plays may come and plays will go, but the minstrel entertainment has become a classic on the American stage. William H. West's minstrel aggregation opened the season at the Bijou with a characteristic performance. The show abounds in new melodies, and is seasoned with enough new jokes to make it spicy and up-to-date, notwithstanding its ancient dress. Everett W. Chipman is the interlocutor, and a good one he is. George W. Jenkins, the well-known Welsh tenor, made himself popular by the rendition of classical and topical selections, and John H. King, Charles E. Gano, Aubrey Pringle, Fred Huber, Charles E. Foreman, George Jones, Fred May and James H. Sadler contributed to the singing and the merriment. The first part of the program included a medley of solos and "back talk" between the end men, and concluded with a farce, depicting some of the predicaments encountered by the prince of Siam on his trip around the world. The second part was made up of high-class specialties, introducing all the members of the company in singing and dancing skits.

The Academy—Bon Ton Burlesquers.

The temperature in the Academy of Music was pretty high yesterday, but the patrons of the house would not permit the discomforts of the weather preventing the annual greeting to the Bon Ton burlesquers. No variety organization is better known in Pittsburgh, and well-filled houses graced both afternoon and evening performances. There are many new faces in the company this season. Some improvement has been made, but many of the old-timers are sorely missed. Dorothy Drew heads the female contingent, and apparently is as much at home in vaudeville as in light opera. She is the best burlesque queen that the Bon Tons ever had, and with sweet voice and vivacious dancing will find many admirers on the variety circuit. The inimitable Frank Byron and buxom Miss Langdon are missed from the company, but with a quartet like Billy Williams, James Hazleton, Al Johnston and Harry Mayo there will be no lack of fun-making forces. The chorus yesterday afternoon almost went to sleep at times, but this probably was not the fault of the girls. They look lively and graceful if opportunity were given them for the better display of their charms. Two burlesques were given, together with the following specialties: Hughes and Hazelton, gymnasts; the Empire City quartette, Williams and Aleene, comedy sketch artists, and the musical Johnstons in xylophone selections.

The Fall of Pompeii.

The Pompeiians, with their beautiful miniature city, charming games and dances, have seemingly won every heart in Pittsburgh, and as a result the big show now on at Exposition ball park is most excellently patronized every evening. Last evening the opening performance of the last week was given, and it would certainly be hard to gather a larger or more enthusiastic audience than that which greeted the show. Tonight the management has arranged many pleasant surprises for the Knights of Pythias, who will have this as their special night, while on the remaining four nights of the engagement, other prominent local fraternities will be variously complimented. The fearful eruption and the wonderful collection of fireworks given at the close every evening under the capable direction of Superintendent Cunliffe are never ceasing wonders. The Elks are managing the local end of the production.

At the Traction Parks.

At Kennywood there were exceptionally large crowds, who listened to a good band concert. Miss Marie Leibrook sang several popular songs, with illustrations by the cinematograph, and pleased her audience very much. W. H. Maddock, the well-known local aerial acrobat, was on the program. He has some difficult new turns.

Southern park has a vaudeville bill that is well worth going to see. On the list are Levina and Gray, who furnished a lot of fun; Ferlardo, "the human musical instrument," who imitates almost every musical instrument played; Smith and Gorman, a pair of very clever comedians; Francelli and Lewis, with lyric novelties, and Hattie North, a bright comedienne.

Pleasant weather and good attractions served to put three immense crowds in a good humor and to keep them that way last evening at Kennywood, Calhoun and Southern parks, where the week's bills opened. All the shows are good this week, and they include minstrels, vaudeville offerings and band concerts, in addition to which there are a number of extra features outside of the stable amusements.

Bryant & Saville's minstrels are at Calhoun park and they certainly must have made a good impression when they were here before, for the park had an immense crowd of outdoor amusement seekers. If there is any difference the minstrels gave a still better show last night than on their former visit. All the old favorites are still in the company, including William S. Cetti, William Lawrence, Mark Thompson and Harry Bennett, who compose the novelty comedy four; Robin, the comedy juggler; McDevitt and Kelly, parodists, and Bryant and Saville, proprietors of the show, who are one of the very best teams on the road. A number of new songs were sung and they had a new finale, entitled "A Sporting Man."

Guessing in West Virginia About a Wabash Route

The Wabash is causing some guessing in West Virginia as to which route will be selected in the extension of the Little Kanawha railroad from Moatsville to Belington. J. T. Blair, president of the Little Kanawha, was in Pittsburgh yesterday in regard to calling for bids for the last link of the Little Kanawha.

"This will not be done for some time," he said, "or at least until it is decided whether the route will be along the river or across the country. The entire distance from Moatsville via the river route is about 40 miles, while the other route is much shorter."

Several surveying corps are at work running lines through Barbour county. The opinion in West Virginia seems to be that the extension will run along the river and up Sugar creek. It is understood that Col. J. M. Guffey is purchasing large tracts of coal lands in the eastern part of Barbour county, and his influence may result in bringing the extension that way.

The Glade district is a rich farming country, and the coal developments in Barbour county are being pushed now that the Wabash is a certainty. The question of mileage will not necessarily determine which route the Little Kanawha will use. Freight tonnage naturally will settle the route of the line, and that part of the country with the greatest development will likely profit by the entrance of the Little Kanawha.

President Blair while in the city conferred with J. W. Patterson, president of the Pittsburgh, Carnegie & Western, relative to the pending Greene county contracts and the new bids for the completion of that line from Waynesburg to a connection with the Buckhannon & Northern. Bids for the former work were opened by President Patterson over a week ago. It was said yesterday, however, that the awards will not be made for some time.

Broke All Records.

During the month of July, 1903, all divisions of the Pennsylvania railroad delivered to and received from the baggage department at the Union station a total of 142,846 pieces, which is the greatest number of pieces ever handled for a similar period. The figures are taken from the monthly report of Baggagemaster G. W. Conrad, which has just been issued. The report of the divisions is as follows: Pennsylvania lines east received 33,771, forwarded 28,442, total 62,133; Panhandle received 15,013, forwarded 14,542, total 29,555; Ft. Wayne received 8,963, forwarded 9,357, total 18,320; Cleveland & Pittsburgh received 4,163, forwarded 4,270, total 8,433; Erie & Pittsburgh received 2,765, forwarded 3,159, total 5,924; Buffalo & Allegheny Valley received 4,004, forwarded 7,124, total 11,128; Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston received 4,092, forwarded 3,260, total 7,352.

Division Is Inspected.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 3.—Special.]—Superintendent J. F. Irwin and a party of officials of the Connellsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad started from here this morning on a general inspection of the division and its branches. All the improvements recently completed will be gone over.

Railroad Notes.

J. D. Blackburn, eastbound freight agent of the Baltimore & Ohio at Philadelphia, was in the city yesterday.

R. L. O'Donnel, general superintendent of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division, was in the city yesterday.

Col. J. M. Schoonmaker, vice president and general manager of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, has gone to Spring Lake, N. J., for a two weeks' vacation.

Thomas E. English, who has been in the office of the general superintendent of the Erie, has been appointed acting superintendent of the Mahoning division.

W. C. Loree, general superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio at Pittsburgh has gone to Baltimore to attend a meeting of operating and executive officials.

H. H. Purcell has been appointed general freight agent of the American Refrigerator Transit Company. He was formerly with the Hoosac Tunnel fast freight line at Chicago.

Robert Riley has been brought on from Ft. Wayne by D. F. Crawford, general superintendent of motive power of the Pennsylvania lines west, to act as secretary to that official.

CONGRESSMAN'S WIFE WAS BEATEN BY NEGRO BOY

Mrs. Maj.-Gen. J. H. Ketcham Victim of Serious Assault at Her Son's Home.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The police have been notified that the aged wife of Maj. Gen. John Henry Ketcham, representative in congress from the Eighteenth district of New York, was assaulted and almost killed by a negro hallboy in the apartment house at No. 314 West Eighty-second street on Saturday last. She was choked and beaten with a poker and her collarbone was broken. The boy, whose name is said to be Harry, is being searched for. His object in the assault was robbery.

Congressman Ketcham went to Nantucket recently with his daughter. His wife remained in New York at the home of her son, Charles Ketcham. He went to his office early on Saturday morning, intending to return in the early afternoon and take his mother out. Mrs. Ketcham, left alone, determined on a shopping expedition. In pursuance of this plan she drew a large amount of money from the bank. On her return to the house she opened a closet door to put away her hat, when the boy sprang out at her. She knew him and called him by name. He struck her with a heavy poker and knocked her down.

She screamed and the boy beat her with the poker, breaking her collarbone. He then choked her until she appeared to be dead. Then he knotted a handkerchief around her throat.

Thinking that he had committed murder he fled from the house without ransacking the apartments, taking only a $5 bill and some minor articles of jewelry from Mrs. Ketcham's purse. The lady recovered after a time, tore the handkerchief from her throat and summoned assistance. Today she is under the care of a surgeon and a trained nurse. She is well along in years and the outcome of the assault is viewed with alarm by her family.

EARNS BIG MONEY FOR OUR UNCLE SAM

The receipts of the Pittsburgh postoffice for July, 1903, show a remarkable gain over the corresponding months of previous years. According to the statistics given out by Postmaster Holliday yesterday, the receipts for July were $120,504.37, a gain of 25.15 per cent over the same month last year. The increase for July of 1903 over July of 1901 is 41.5 per cent. The Pittsburgh postoffice is one of the best money-earning offices in the United States.

International Yacht Races.

Are you coming to New York city to the races? Stop at the Gregorian hotel, Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth avenue and Herald square. Fireproof. Delightfully appointed. Cool.

NATATORIUM CHARTERED.

Another Step in East End Project Backed by Well-Known People.

The Natatorium Company of Pittsburgh, which has been forming for two years, has at last applied for a charter. The venture has been promoted by the Real Estate Trust Company and the capital of the new company is fixed at $200,000. The site chosen for the natatorium is the triangular lot bounded by Friendship avenue and Baum and Beatty streets, in the Twentieth ward. This location was selected over a year ago as being the most central for the East End residents who are expected to patronize the institution. Some six months ago plans were prepared by Architect Fred P. Bauer for a three-story brick with a very handsome terra cotta front.

Within will be plunge, shower and needle baths, a swimming pool, bowling alleys, a gymnasium, dressing rooms and a reading and smoking room. The interior finish is to be very elaborate, and when completed the building will be probably the finest of its kind in the state.

The stock of the company is nearly all subscribed in shares of $50 each, which are expected to pay a handsome revenue. The project is backed by some of the leading financiers of the city, as the following board of directors will show: F. T. F. Lovejoy, R. B. Mellon, D. P. Black, H. J. Heinz, W. W. Blackburn, John B. Barbour, Jr., H. O. Evans, M. K. Salsbury, H. A. Phillips, Robert Garland and Charles W. M. Miller.

Alleghenian Killed in Arizona.

Relatives of Albert T. Cheplar, aged 22, of Allegheny, have received word that he was one of the three men burned to death in the wreck of the overland limited train in Arizona. It is said that Sheplar was working his way to Los Angeles, Cal., where his aunt, Mrs. John Kelley, resides. Young Sheplar was a son of the late Samuel Sheplar of Allegheny and since his father's death had been living with cousins, Charles and Joseph Sheplar, at No. 838 South avenue, Allegheny. One brother and three sisters survive him.

Plumbers on a Strike.

YORK, PA., Aug. 3.—All the union plumbers in this city, with the exception of six, went on strike today. The men demanded a nine-hour day and recognition of their union.

August Vacations.

Having this in view the Pennsylvania railroad announces a special seashore excursion on August 13, by special Pullman parlor cars and day coaches, Pittsburgh to Atlantic City, leaving Pittsburgh at 8:55 a. m., due at Atlantic City at 8:35 p. m. Evening trains at 4:50 and 9 o'clock. Sleeping cars through to Atlantic City at 10 p. m. Rate, ten dollars in coaches, or $12 in parlor cars or sleeping cars, when accompanied by the usual Pullman tickets. The same rate prevails to Cape May, Anglesea, Wildwood, Ocean City, etc.

Seats in parlor cars on day train, or berths in sleeping cars on evening trains, can now be secured at the company's offices, corner Fifth avenue and Smithfield street, and Union station.

Ex-Slave Leaves a Fortune to Nieces and Nephews

The will of John Perlett, an ex-slave, but who for years had been a house servant of W. W. Willock in the East End, was filed yesterday. The deceased was 72 years of age and was unmarried, and he left an estate valued at $10,000. Mrs. George Renbottom, a niece, is to receive a property in Allegheny and the residue of the estate is to be shared equally by Fannie Belt, a niece, and Charles Perlett, a nephew of the testator.

Jane S. Mevey, late of North Fayette township, after making a number of bequests of clothing and the like, directs that $100 each be paid Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson of Erie, Pa.; Mrs. Mary A. Rogers of Allegheny, Mrs. John I. Shaw of Bellevue, Mrs. Vesta Nell Lippencott of Pittsburgh, Miss Melinda Mevey of Allegheny, who are all nieces of the deceased. Dayton, Donna and Belle Mevey Townley, children of a niece, are each to receive $50. There are three codicils to the will, one of which disinherits any beneficiary contesting the will. To Mrs. Sarah Ann Crooks, a niece, the sum of $10,000 is bequeathed, out of consideration of kindness shown the testatrix by her husband, Henry C. Crooks of Oakdale, Pa. Of the residue of the estate, one-fifth is bequeathed to Miss Jennie H. Clark and one-fifth to Mrs. Margaret D. Clark, both of Washington, Pa., and both daughters of decedent's sister, Margaret. Mrs. Margaret A. Clow and Miss Martha Sarver, both of Chicago, daughters of her sister Martha, each receive one-fifth, and the remaining one-fifth is committed to the Safe Deposit and Trust Company, in trust for children of nieces of the decedent. James M. Clark of Pittsburgh is named as executor.

Frederick Dillimuth, late of Bakerstown station, leaves to his widow, Anna E. Dillimuth, all of his estate, the value of which has not been determined. Mrs. Dillimuth is named as executrix.

Herman Ritzer, late of Pittsburgh, leaves to his widow, Lena Ritzer, the whole of an $1,800 estate.

J. H. Logan, late of Bethel township, bequeathes to his son, H. H. Logan, nine acres of land, and to his widow, Sarah J. Logan, 19 acres and buildings. To each of three married daughters he leaves $100. The whole estate is valued at $11,600.

John Jafvert, late of Pittsburgh, leaves to his widow, Mary Jafvert, all of an estate valued at $4,500.

Jane Smith, late of Crescent township, leaves to decedent's son, Thomas E. Smith, a property valued at $625, directing him to pay each of three sons and two daughters the sum of $10.

Could Not Find the Alderman.

A rule has been granted on Alderman Walter Wadsworth to show cause why he should not produce in court an appeal in the case of A. S. Law vs. the city of Pittsburgh, in which the alderman rendered a decision giving judgment for the plaintiff in the sum of $45. In the petition John A. Blair, assistant city solicitor, states he repeatedly called the alderman's office up by telephone to notify him to enter an appeal for the city before the limit expired, but was always told by the clerk that the alderman was either sick or not in the office. The solicitor says he called at the office of the alderman and waited an hour and a half without the latter making his appearance.

Legal Briefs.

Charles J. Pedder has been granted a rehearing in the matter of the Thirty-fifth ward school case and the proceedings stayed until September 3 next.

The following executions were issued: William Ross vs. Frank Stevens, $212; W. C. Murray vs. Anderson Coles, $88; George Koerner vs. C. S. Baker, $111.

The borough of Braddock has entered suit against the Braddock Gas and Light Company for $836.50 alleged to be due as taxes on poles and wires located in Braddock.

Common pleas court No. 2 made an order yesterday appointing Edward G. Lang trustee of the McClure Avenue Presbyterian church, to succeed A. C. Patterson, deceased.

Gilson Lightcap, executor of the estate of William Walker, deceased, has entered suit against Frank F. Nicola for $30,000 for alleged violation of an agreement for the sale of property in Baldwin township.

David T. Watson, John Dalzell, William Scott and George B. Gordon have entered suit against the Duquesne Realty Company to recover $750 alleged to be due for use of rooms 13 and 14 on the first floor of the St. Nicholas building.

The Three Rivers

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Aug. 3.—The stage of the river at 6 p. m. marked 7.3 feet and falling. The Queen City arrived from Pittsburgh this afternoon after an eventful trip and 44 hours behind time. The pilots report very slack water at Manchester and all points above that place.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; 4 feet 8 inches in the canal, 2 feet 6 inches on the falls and 8 feet 3 inches below the locks.

WHEELING—River 5 feet 8 inches.

OIL CITY—River 2 feet and falling.

HUNTINGTON—River 6 feet 6 inches and falling.

MARIETTA—River 5.6 feet and stationary.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet 6 inches and falling.

PARKERSBURG—River 6.5 feet and stationary.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet and falling.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary.

GALLIPOLIS—River 5 feet and stationary.

POINT PLEASANT—River 3 feet 7 inches and rising.

WARREN—River 1 foot 4 inches.

PACKETS RUNNING ON TIME.

Prediction of a Rise of Three Feet for Next Sunday.

The regular packets from down-river ports arrived on time yesterday despite the low water. The passenger lists were large. The freight consisted principally of crates of chickens, yesterday's consignments being the largest for several months. The packets in yesterday were the Keystone State from Cincinnati, Ben Hur from Parkersburg and the Kanawha from Charleston. The Ben Hur got away early with a big trip and the Keystone State left on time with a full passenger list and a big trip in freight.

"Dory" Poe predicted yesterday that a rise of about three feet would come next Sunday. Dory is a pretty good prophet and the packet companies hope he is correct. The water was four feet at the dam last evening and falling. This is scant packet water on account of a few shallow places. The Queen City arrived in Cincinnati yesterday. She will start for Pittsburgh today if the reports from the weather bureau are favorable.

At 9 o'clock last night the gauge at the Davis island dam indicated 4.5 feet and the river was stationary.

Arrivals.

Keystone State, Knox, Cincinnati.
Ben Hur, Simms, Parkersburg.
Kanawha, Roe, Charleston.
I. C. Woodward, Williams, Morgantown.
Edgar Cherry, Hoag, Brownsville.

Departures.

Keystone State, Knox, Cincinnati.
Ben Hur, Simms, Parkersburg.
Columbia, Abrams, Morgantown.
Edgar Cherry, Hoag, Brownsville.

News of the Rivers.

The Kanawha is the packet leaving the Water street wharf for down-river ports today. She leaves at 4 o'clock for Charleston.

The towboats Jim Wood and Dave Wood tied up at Manchester, O., yesterday on account of low water. The Fallie and Risher are tied up at Sewickley.

Capt. John F. Klein has returned from Cincinnati from a business trip. It is said that he will purchase a down-river packet after the excursion season closes.

The Winona and Loma, both boats owned by the government, were inspected yesterday by the local inspectors. The Fay S., a dredge boat, will be inspected in the Allegheny river today.

The annual convention of the Mississippi River Improvement association will be held in New Orleans on October 19. It is probable that several members of the Ohio and Allegheny Valley Improvement associations will attend the meetings. The question of deepest interest to be discussed will be the replacing of the levees along the banks of the Mississippi with more solid structures.

Mother and Child Burned to Death.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 3.—Mrs. John Knebel, aged 24, and her year-old baby girl, were burned to death today at the Knebel homestead in the town of Granville. The fire was caused by the woman pouring kerosene into the kitchen stove when she supposed the fire had gone out.

TEMPERANCE IN SCHOOLS.

It Will Be a Live Topic at the W. C. T. U. Inter-County Institute.

At the Inter-County Institute of the Women's Christian Temperance union, to be held in Ridgview park this week, Mrs. Margaret Negley of Allegheny county, will give a class drill on scientific temperance instruction in the public schools, assisted by pupils from the Allegheny city public schools. Mrs. Negley says that in showing how temperance physiology is not taught in the Allegheny schools, she will show that the schools are not complying with the state law, and are thereby being placed in a position where they may lose the state appropriation.

Mrs. Jones of Wilkinsburg will conduct an oratorical and musical contest on Thursday evening. Charles Willard Jacobs of Braddock avenue, this city, the boy soprano at St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal church, will sing in the song contest, and Mrs. E. F. Heim of Allegheny will represent Allegheny county in the matrons' contest. Representatives from seven counties will contest for the silver medals presented by Mrs. Jones of Wilkinsburg in the matrons' contest. The offices of the institute are filled by Mrs. E. W. Gormley, Mrs. R. C. Wylie, Mrs. S. M. Steele and Mrs. E. J. Hood. Mrs. Olive Pond Aimes, who is state superintendent of the School of Methods, will give a lecture for the women this evening.

REORGANIZED THE BOARD.

Changes in the Offices of the Pension Fund.

The police pension board yesterday elected Milton E. Bailey to represent the inspectors to take the place of Henry Whitehouse; J. N. Fredericks, to represent the captains in place of Charles Gallant, and Frank D. Lane, to represent the wagonmen to take the place of Frederick Fluker. Superintendent of Police McTighe was elected a vice president to fill the unexpired term of John McAleese. One thousand dollars was voted to Mrs. Celia O'Malley, whose husband, Thomas O'Malley, was an officer for 14 years and died at Cambridge a month ago.

Secretary Elias John reported a balance on hand of $118,544.49.

FIFTY THOUSAND CUBAN SOLDIERS TO BE PAID

HAVANA, Aug. 3.—Gen. Maximo Gomez, the chairman of the commission dealing with the matter, has just completed a list of the revolutionary soldiers entitled to pay. Gen. Gomez stated that the list consists of about 50,000 soldiers and does not include civil employes.

He believes that the pending loan will not cover more than half the claims, and anticipates that the Cuban congress will provide for the payment of the balance in some form of due bill, payable with interest after a considerable interval, and probably discountable and transferable.

SAILORS QUIT GOVERNMENT BECAUSE FOOD WAS POOR

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—Because of dissatisfaction among the sailors in the crew of the United States revenue cutter Onondaga, 23 of them were paid off at their own request upon the arrival of the vessel at this port today. The Onondaga was on the way for a cruise off the New England coast. The grievance of the men was that the food was not up to the standard.

Took Their First Vows.

Five young women entered the order of the Sisters of Divine Providence and made their first vows, at a special service at SS. Peter and Paul's Roman Catholic church in Larimer avenue, East Liberty, yesterday. Those who took the veil were Miss Stella Kretz of this city, Miss Scholastica Feicke of Dover, O.; Miss Elizabeth Schmadel and Miss Eva Ludovica of the West End, and Miss Mary Poertner of the East End.

WAS WELL RECEIVED.

Monetary Commission Makes a Report Concerning Foreign Currency Ratio.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—A report has been received at the state department from the United States monetary commission, which is investigating the question of currency for silver-using countries. The commission has visited London, Paris, The Hague and Berlin, and expects to leave for St. Petersburg in a short time.

According to the report, the proposal of the American commission for a ratio of 32 to 1 for a new silver currency for oriental countries has generally been well received, although the French commission suggested the ratio of 31 to 1, which is one-half of the French ratio at the present time. The representatives of the Chinese government have manifested a very lively interest in the proceedings of the commission at the different European capitals that have been visited.

THE IMPORTANCE OF THE STOMACH.

UPON ITS CONDITION DEPENDS HAPPINESS OR MISERY.

Perhaps one of the most frequent complaints of the stomach is constipation of the bowels, or continuous costiveness.

When your food rests so solidly on your stomach that nature refuses to remove it, and usually resort to some common physic, which, while affording you some relief, acts so suddenly on the parts affected as to shock and weaken them.

THE BOWELS, like a balky horse, to work properly, must be coaxed, and gradually urged to perform their functions.

The soothing action of that great Kidney and Liver medicine, DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY, is gentle and delicate, yet its relief is immediate and effective.

It is of importance to every individual to use a proper remedy for CONSTIPATION OF THE BOWELS. The thousands of grateful testimonials from both sexes who have been completely cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, is the best evidence of the POWER AND MERIT of this wonderful medicine.

Druggists sell it in New 50 Cent Size and the regular $1.00 size bottles.

Sample bottle—enough for trial, free by mail. Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Rondout, N. Y.

Dr. David Kennedy's Salt Rheum Cream cures Old Sores, Skin and Scrofulous Diseases. 50c.

THE MAY DRUG CO., 506-508 Market St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Agents.

WANTED—Good live representatives in every town and in suburban districts. No get-rich-quick, or book scheme, but a good money producer for honest, intelligent workers. Address or call 907 Keystone building.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN can earn $5 to $10 per day handling the quickest selling household article on the market; 10c for full information or call Gehring & Stephens, First ave. and Ferry st., Pittsburgh.

WANTED.

Male Help.

ACTIVE young man about 25 as general clerk and cashier; must furnish bond and best of references; a good position open for right man. Address, with particulars, L 96, The Gazette.

BRIGHT, ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN

for position in Advertising Department. Must be of neat appearance, good character, steady habits, good common school education. Previous experience in this line not necessary. Must come well recommended and only those who seek advancement and a permanent position need apply. This is a splendid opportunity for a young man to learn the advertising business. Apply at once to advertising manager, ninth floor,

KAUFMANN BROS.

BY wholesale grocery house, energetic young man, with knowledge of groceries, to work retail trade in city and suburbs. Box 1660, Pittsburgh.

CARPENTERS—Three months' work. Ransome & Smith Co., Greensburg, Pa.

CLERK—Drug clerk wanted; Q. A. or R. P.; permanent position to right party. Write Box 112, Apollo, Pa.

DRAUGHTSMEN—Experienced in general building work or mechanical drawing. Address M 65, The Gazette.

DRILL runners on Ingersoll-Sargeant machines. Call at room 814 Lewis block. Dravo Contracting Co.

FIFTY LABORERS, twenty-five farm hands; best wages; machinists, carpenters, blacksmiths, helpers, bricklayers, molders, painters and riveters, at Edward Zang's, 606 River ave., Allegheny.

FIRST-CLASS paper ruler. Jos. E. Melvin, First ave. and Ross st.

FOREMAN with 30 Italian or Austrian railroad laborers, $1.50 day; company work; fare paid; foreman $3.00 per day; job last 3 years. KEYSTONE BUREAU, 1122 Penn ave.

LARGE FIRM desires two salesmen for paper and cordage; also one for grocery line, two for hardware, $15 week; no experience required on these positions; also warehousemen wanted; call or write. IRON CITY BUREAU, 409 Fourth st., Pittsburgh.

MAN—Good, sober, industrious white man, to work on gentleman's country place; take care of lawn, horses, and milk cow. References required. Apply room 924 Farmers Bank building.

NEWSPAPER Solicitor for Columbus, Ohio. 304 Chronicle Telegraph building.

PRESSMAN to take charge of cylinder presses. Inquire News-Messenger, 234 Eighth ave., Homestead.

SALESPEOPLE—Several experienced shoe salespeople; reference required. Apply at superintendent's office, Kaufmann's.

SALESMEN—Young men for wholesale grocery. IRON CITY BUREAU, 409 Fourth ave.

SOLICITORS—TWO GOOD SOLICITORS AT ONCE. APPLY ROOM 412, CHRONICLE TELEGRAPH BUILDING.

TEAMS for railroad work. Moran & Co., 203 Ferguson block.

TUNNEL MEN—Experienced soft ground miners for cap and side leg drifts; eight (8) hour shifts; wages 30 to 40 cents per hour. The Dravo Contracting Co., Lewis block, city.

TWO young men for lunch room; no night or Sunday work. 326 Diamond st.

WANTED—For the U. S. Marine Corps—Able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35, good character; must speak, read and write English; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply Recruiting Officer, rooms 414-415, City Postoffice building.

WANTED—Five skilled machinists to go out of the city; free transportation and board. Apply room 415, No. 331 Fourth ave.

WANTED—Ten salesmen, at once. Apply 709 Ferguson building.

WANTED—Elevator boys. Apply at Gusky's.

Female Help.

COOK and chambermaid; wages $8 and $5; reference required. Mrs. Kennington, 18 Ninth st., Pittsburgh.

GIRLS—3 dining room girls at 1129 Liberty ave.

HOTEL housekeeper; also old lady for hotel work; good wages. 627 West Robinson st., Allegheny.

LADY waiter for lunch room; pays $6; no night or Sunday work. 326 Diamond st.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—State experience, if any, salary expected, references and whether have any knowledge of bookkeeping. Address B 100, The Gazette.

WANTED—Three good teachers in Sewickley township, Allegheny county, Pa.; term, seven months; salary $40; election Aug. 15. Apply to John H. Grof, secretary, Leetsdale, Pa.

YOUNG LADY to demonstrate the new unique umbrella; must have experience and be a good talker. Apply C. A. Birch, care The Leader, 242 Fifth ave.

Male and Female Help.

EITHER sex to take orders for the life of Pope Leo XIII; good salary and commission to acceptable persons. H. R. Nye & Co., 438 Fourth ave.

Situations—Male.

WANTED—Situation as bookkeeper; thoroughly competent; neat and accurate; first class reference. Address G 68, The Gazette.

Situation—Female.

POSITION wanted by young woman, aged 20, as bookkeeper office assistant; excellent references. Address M. T., 1110 Irwin ave., Allegheny.

SERVANTS FURNISHED FREE.
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Lynchburg, Va.

SITUATIONS by two young women in small family, city or country. 18 Ninth st., Pittsburgh.

Situations—Male and Female.

EMPLOYMENT for male and female help. Schwartz, 128 Seventh st.

MALE and female help supplied. Walker, 641 Smithfield st. 'Phone 330.

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BIG DIVIDENDS IN OUR COAL MINE. Now earning over 17 per cent net on output of 100 tons daily by pick mining; want to increase dividends and output to 1,000 daily by installing up-to-date mining machinery; as all profits go to dividends the company offers for sale treasury stock at par, $100, and nonassessable, to pay off indebtedness and for new equipment; 1,438 acres; four seams; above tipple level (driving entries to the rise); over a mile of main line railroad frontage; 55 miles from city; can show the mine in operation in a few hours' time; further information given if desired. Send for booklet.
JOHN A. WOOD, Jr., President,
Pittsburgh, Pa.
Apply to
JAMES W. TURNER, Fiscal Agent,
442 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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RENO SHORTHAND SCHOOL,
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Personally conducted by Marshall H. Reno, for nearly 20 years engaged in reporting officially in the United States and Allegheny county courts; open all the year; post-graduate course; send for catalogue; both telephones.

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Real Estate.

HOUSE WANTED.
Advertiser will purchase small house with good lot in first-class location, Pittsburgh or Allegheny suburbs; house must be thoroughly modern; give full particulars, price and description.
Address G 35, The Gazette.

Miscellaneous.

TO ARCHITECTS AND OTHERS WHO know lettering and signs in keeping with architecture, or from design, by P. J. Byrne, painter, 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Before buying, call or write us. ESTEP & CO., 326 Fourth ave.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3321 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

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City and Suburban.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with board, in Oakland; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred. Address L 90, The Gazette.

TWO furnished or unfurnished rooms; no children; reasonable rent. 1100 Belmont, corner of Wallace, Wilkinsburg.

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences. 320 Meyran ave., city.

East End.

6935 HAMILTON AVE.—roomers and boarders; good location; 25 minutes to city.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

$35—Springdale, Pa., large house, 10 rooms, bath and w. c., reception hall, 14 acres land, stable and good fruit; 3 minutes from depot. Possession immediate.
COUCH & CO., 524 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh.

FOR RENT—Brick house of 8 rooms and bath, at 136 Washington st. W. L. Sloan, 427 Diamond st.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR RENT—517 STURGEON ST., ALLEGHENY; brick dwelling, 7 rooms, water inside; $15.00 per month. See
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE & TRUST COMPANY,
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Flats.

FOR RENT—Furnished flat; 4 rooms and bath; suitable for family of two. 1504 Monterey st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room flat, Wilkinsburg, $32.50.
ELDERKIN, STANTON CO., 432 Fourth ave.

Desk Room.

FOR RENT—Desk and telephone service; $5 a month. Office Renting Company, 711 Penn ave.

Offices.

FOR RENT—$450—Large front second floor office, elevator; Home Trust Bldg.
HOME TRUST CO.,
John F. Sweeny, Secretary,
341 Wood st.

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City and Suburban Residences.

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$9,500——$9,500.
Atlantic Ave., Near Friendship Ave.
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Mansard brick. All modern conveniences.
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REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

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CRAFT AVE., near FORBES ST., fine brick residence, 9 rooms; all latest improvements; large lot, 31½x110 ft.; SPECIAL OPTION PRICE $7,700, worth $10,000. Terms arranged. Possession immediate.
ARONSON REALTY CO.,
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TWO 6 ROOMED brick houses.
Two HOUSES of 3 ROOMS each, all for $4,500, lot 27x137. Rent $35.
LEVY & SPARKS,
411 Ferguson block, 320 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Wilkinsburg. To a quick buyer will sell at low cost, a nine roomed brick house. All improvements. Wide paved st.; good location. C. G. Mitchell, 905 Arrott bldg.

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FOR SALE.
$3,750—No. 4536 Penn ave.—Lot 20x100 feet, with frame dwelling of 9 rooms, bath, etc., renting for $336. Terms to suit. See
THOS. M'CAFFREY,
Both 'phones. No. 3509 Butler st.

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FOR SALE—20 acres of level land with house on, near three markets. Leechburg white rock Bagdad can be bought for $500. J. B. Hum, Leechburg, Pa.

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Large lot, with 3-story brick building.
Renting well; special option price.
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Cheaper than adjoining property.
Mortgage 5 per cent; see exclusive agents.
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FOR SALE—Dry goods store; stock invoiced $5,500; will sell out for $3,500 cash; answer quick. Address S 95, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Valuable downtown lease with stock of dry goods and fixtures. Address N 65, The Gazette.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

SMALL job printing office for sale, cheap. Address P 65, The Gazette.

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FOR SALE—The following machinery all in first-class order and ready to run; machines have been used but a very short time, and if you buy new from factory, you would get no better:
1—600 lb. broad lift drop hammer, Pratt & Whitney make, steel base.
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1—Baker & Chard 18" shaper.
1—Philadelphia Machine Co.'s double crank press, opening 26"x4".
1—Double spindle emery binder, heavy.
1—Double spindle polisher, heavy.
1—55 horse power boiler.
1—Erie City engine, 50 horse power.
1—Lot shafting, pulleys, belting, anvils, tools and vises.
This lot of fine machinery will be sold cheap.
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FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

ONE power punch, will punch inch through inch 1 35, 1 20 and 1 12-horse power gas engine; one small alligator shear, 15 iron lathes, different sizes; one 75-lb. and one 25-lb. Bradley hammer; also a lot of iron tanks from 2 to 100-barrel capacity. Gausman Machinery and Metal Company, 927 and 929 Rebecca st., Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies.
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Horses and Vehicles.

TWO CARLOADS heavy draught and pit mules, ranging 50 to 64 inches; also heavy draught, general purpose horses. STEINMILLER'S, 110 Second ave.

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AT lowest prices for cash or time; make your own terms; bar fixtures, work boards, pumps, billiard tables, safes, etc. S. Dalp Sons, corner Fourth and Liberty streets.

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Typewriters.

REMINGTON Typewriter sold (with or without Billing and Tabulating Attachment), exchanged, rented and repaired; Paragon typewriter ribbons for all machines, linen papers, carbon paper and miscellaneous typewriter supplies and furniture.
REMINGTON TYPEWRITER CO.,
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BARGAINS in all makes of typewriters; rentals $2.00 up. PHILADELPHIA TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, 323-324 Lewis building.

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BIG BARGAINS in second-hand and shop-worn sewing machines; a high arm Singer, perfect condition, guaranteed for one year, $5; a White for $7.50, guaranteed; 250 other makes good sewing machines will be sold at a big reduction in the next few days.
WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.,
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BIG BARGAINS in new, shopworn and second-hand sewing machines; all makes; we repair all makes at the lowest prices; Bell 3540-2.
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CELEBRATED $455 upright, cover, stool; $150 cash. Mrs. C., Box 471, Pittsburgh.

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PAINT PRESERVES PROPERTY.
Protect your house with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
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711 Forbes st. Both telephones.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a new 18 foot yacht, finished in three kinds of polished hardwood, something fine. Address Box 231, New Kensington, Pa.

FOR SALE—House of furniture and lease; fine situation; cheap rent; best part of East End; must be sold; owner going abroad. H 65, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Bargains in new and second-hand office furniture. Entrance, Alexander, Baker & Co., Ltd., 208 Wood st.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3321 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—
Ten lots in Hazelwood, having $1,500 equity; will exchange for small property or stock of goods.
LEVY & SPARKS,
411 Ferguson Block, 320 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—
27 acres suitable for plotting, between Etna and Sharpsburg. Will take 6 or 8 room residence.
LEVY & SPARKS,
411 Ferguson Block, 320 Fourth ave.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, No. 107 June term, 1882. In re account of William B. Negley, trustee for the creditors of the Nation Trust Company for his discharge. And now, to-wit, July 25, 1903, the petition of the executors and trustees under will of John H. Shoenberger, deceased, presented in open court, and upon consideration thereof and motion of counsel for petitioners a rule is granted upon all parties in interest to show cause why a successor in the trust to William B. Negley, Esq., deceased, should not be appointed, returnable on Saturday, the 8th day of August, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time said petition is ordered to be heard. And it is further ordered that notice of said rule be given to the parties in interest, who may be found in the county of Allegheny by delivering to each of them a copy of said rule or by leaving such copy at each of their residences with an adult member or to each of their families, and that notice of said rule shall be published twice in The Pittsburgh Gazette. By the Court. From the record. A. J. McQuitty, Prothonotary. (Seal.)

No. 6808.
Treasury Department,
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., June 1, 1903.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Industrial National bank of Pittsburgh," located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking; now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The Industrial National bank of Pittsburgh," located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section 5169, of the revised statutes of the United States. In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, this first day of June, 1903.
(Signed) WM. B. RIDGELY.
(Seal.)
Comptroller of the Currency.

GEORGE E. PEEBLES, Attorney-at-Law, 31 St. Nichols building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made by H. B. Haller, S. R. Dibert and George E. Peebles, to the governor of Pennsylvania, on the 20th day of August, 1903, under the provisions of an act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called Haller-Dibert Real Estate Company, the character and object of which is the purchase and sale of real estate, or for holding, leasing and selling real estate, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said act of assembly and the supplements thereto conferred. George E. Peebles, solicitor.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3 of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, No. 282 August term, 1897. The Safe Deposit & Trust Co., trustee, et al., vs. George W. Gilmore, et al. The undersigned auditor appointed "to pass upon the exceptions filed to the first and partial account of the Safe Deposit & Trust Co., receiver of John Gilmore & Son, and to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the said accountant," hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment and meet all parties interested at his office, room 84 St. Nicholas Building, Pittsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, September 2, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. Thomas Herriott, auditor.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between Louis Cella, Jr., and J. Hampton McClelland was dissolved on the 1st of August, 1903, so far as relates to the said Louis Cella, Jr. All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid and those due from the same discharged at No. 233 Brushton avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., where the business will be continued by the said J. Hampton McClelland under the firm name of J. Hampton McClelland & Co.
LOUIS CELLA, JR.,
J. HAMPTON M'CLELLAND.

JOHN S. ROBB, 16 St. Nicholas building, Pittsburgh. To whom it may concern: Take notice that Frank Rigelski, an insolvent debtor, has presented his petition at No. 526 September term, 1903, in the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county, for a rule to show cause why he should not be discharged from arrest and confinement as an insolvent debtor as provided by law, and the court fixed Saturday, August 8, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., for a hearing of the said petition at which time all persons having claims or objections against the discharge of the said insolvent may appear and be heard. John S. Robb, attorney for petitioner.

J. M. SHIELDS, Attorney-at-Law, No. 503 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Richard W. O'Hara, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. South Side Trust Company of Pittsburgh, administrator, No. 1210 Carson st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN W. THOMAS, Attorney-at-Law, No. 518 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of J. G. Rolshouse, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. John L. Rolshouse, Samuel A. Rolshouse, executors, No. 1412 Main st., Sharpsburg, Pa.

STONE & STONE, Attorneys-at-Law, Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Benjamin Evans, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Mercantile Trust Co., administrator, No. 415 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

THOMSON & THOMSON, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 615 Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Michael Spain, Sr., deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Annie Spain Coll, executrix, No. 1100 Vickroy st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburgh Cut Flower Company, Limited, will be held at the office of the company, No. 504 Liberty avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on August 12, 1903, at 1:15 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of taking action on approval or disapproval of the proposal to renew and continue said partnership association for another period of five years. Frederick Burki, chairman; Theodore F. Langhans, secretary. Charles W. Dahlinger, solicitor.

FRANK W. SMITH, Attorney-at-Law, No. 485 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Alfred Whitely, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Maria Whitely, administratrix, No. 38 Shiloh st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE
Closing Out Sale of Sample Furniture from Grand Rapids Exhibition, Consisting of Fine Chamber Suites in Oak and Mahogany, Chiffoniers, Wardrobes, China Closets, Sideboards, Extension Tables, Chairs, Brass Beds, Leather Couches, Etc., for Sale Tuesday, August 4, 1903, at 10 O'Clock at the Rooms of the Henry Auction and Storage Co., 124 and 126 Ninth St.
Fine Chamber Suites in oak, mahogany and walnut, Chiffoniers, Wardrobes, Hall Racks, Chairs, Sideboards, China Closets, Buffets, Extension Tables, Leather Couches, Upright Pianos, Organ, Brass Beds, Iron Beds, Folding Beds, Mirrors, Curtains, Portieres, Bric-a-Brac, Parlor Suites in leather, velvet and satin damask. Lot Artificial Palms and Drygoods and Notions.
Also at 1 o'clock, fine Brussels and Velvet Carpets for rooms and halls; Mattings and Linoleums. Goods now on exhibition. Sale positive August 4, 1903.
HENRY AUCTION CO., Auctioneers.

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Market Street Loan Office,
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$250,000 TO LOAN—Heirs to estates, 2d mtgs., notes, etc. Private. P. O. Box 821.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for P. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones. 711 Forbes st.

PERSONAL—Madame Duval, Pittsburgh's most reliable scientific palmist, can be seen at 328 Penn ave., for engagements for private readings.

SANITARIUM NEWLY OPENED—Osteopathy, massage, baths all kinds. Dr. Miney Davidson, Sanitarium, Seneca st. Take Forbes or Fifth ave. cars.

PERSONAL—Reliable watch repairing. Cash paid for old gold. CHRIST HAUCH, 541 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

PERSONAL—Will sell out Christian Home Employment Agency at a reasonable rate. Call 616 Grant st., city.

LEGAL NOTICES.

WILLIAM F. SCHELL, JR., Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, No. 435 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that application will be made by H. M. Smith, W. J. Nelson and E. H. Kennedy to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 24th day of August, 1903, at 10 o'clock, under the provisions of an act of assembly approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto for a charter for an intended corporation to be called Erie Land Company, the character and object of which is the purchasing, holding, leasing and selling real estate, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by said act of assembly and the supplements thereto. William F. Schell, Jr., solicitor.

THOS. J. TIERNEY, Attorney-at-Law, No. 432 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Betsy Nolan, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Gilbert Nolan, executor, Versailles P. O., Allegheny county, Pa.

O'BRIEN & ASHLEY, Attorneys-at-Law. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of James W. Neely, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Matilda A. Neely, James C. Neely, executors, Wall Rose, Beaver county, Pa.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that Mr. Alfred E. Boyd, formerly connected with the Aronson Realty Company, in the Aronson building, 646 Fifth ave., as a salesman, is no longer connected with said firm.
THE ARONSON REALTY COMPANY.

DIVIDEND.

Second National Bank of Pittsburgh.
(United States Depository.)
Pittsburgh, Pa., July 30, 1903.

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND NO. 75—The board of directors of this bank has today declared a dividend of SEVEN AND ONE-HALF (7½) PER CENT on the capital stock out of the profits of the past three months, payable August 1, 1903. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.
THOS. W. WELSH, JR.,
Cashier.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Charles J. Hieber and William H. Brant, under the firm name of Hieber & Brant, conducting a general store in the village of Perrysville, Allegheny county, Pa., has been dissolved by mutual consent, the said William H. Brant retiring from said firm, and the said Charles J. Hieber continuing the said business. All liabilities of said firm will be paid by said Charles J. Hieber, and all moneys due the said co-partnership are payable to him.
CHARLES J. HIEBER,
WILLIAM H. BRANT.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
The firm of W. H. Skivington Co. has been dissolved, the business having been purchased by Adams, Hemphill & Co., who will carry on the real estate business. All accounts owing to W. H. Skivington Co. are to paid to H. M. Gross, and any debts owing by the W. H. Skivington Co. are to be paid by H. M. Gross.
W. H. SKIVINGTON,
H. M. GROSS.

PROPOSALS.

Fleming Park Water Co.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

SEALED proposals will be received until noon of August 14, by Elliott & Eaton, engineers, Keystone bldg., for the laying of approximately four miles of water pipe, etc., in the borough of McKees Rocks, Pa. Plans and specifications can be examined and blank forms of proposals secured at the office of the engineers. The Fleming Park Water Company reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that certificate No. 17 of the Dravosburg Bridge Company of Allegheny county, Pa., for 220 shares stock of par value of $50 per share, issued to Sarah C. Snodgrass, has been lost or mislaid, and all persons are hereby warned as to purchasing or negotiating the same, as application has been made for a duplicate certificate. Sarah C. Snodgrass, 441 Sixth ave.

LOST.

LOST—A bunch of keys, having attached thereto a tag bearing the name of Robert Ostermaier, between Sixth ave. and Forty-third st. Please return to 418 Sixth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

LOST—Twenty-seven dollars, paper, Sunday morning, Kelly street to Frankstown avenue, via Collier street. Return to 7560 Kelly street and receive reward.

SPECIAL.

BATHS—Beech oven, massage and all other forms of treatment. NEW SANITARIUM, 43 Marion st.

PATENTS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 303 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

STOCK MARKETS NEARLY STAGNANT

In Wall Street Transactions Reached Only 211,000 Shares, and the Fluctuations in Price Were Covered by Fractions.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

With one exception transactions in the New York stock market yesterday were the smallest for any full day this year, reaching only 211,000 shares. The only time throughout the session during which there was any show of activity was in the first hour, when the sales amounted to 60,000 shares. During this period, however, such stocks as Sugar, Manhattan, Reading and Norfolk & Western did not have a single sale to their credit, and during the first four hours more than a score of active specialties were not even quoted. There was no session of the London stock exchange yesterday, and no business was transacted for foreigners, it being a bank holiday throughout England. There was no news over Sunday to affect values, and there was an unusually light attendance of brokers on the New York exchange. Initial transactions were at slight declines from Saturday's close, but for a time prices were held steady. For the remainder of the day there was a slow sagging of values, and the close was at or near the lowest of the day, but the fluctuations as a rule were confined to fractions.

Union Pacific was practically the only active stock in which the net change was as much as 1 per cent. It opened at 74⅛ to 75, and in the late dealings sold down to 73¼, closing at the lowest. This was a disappointment to the bulls, who have been analyzing the financial report for the fiscal year ending June 30, and estimating something over 10 per cent earned for the common stock, as compared with 9.8 per cent earned in 1902, when the price of the stock was nearly 40 per cent above yesterday's close. Likewise with St. Paul. In September last year the stock sold at 198¾, and the earnings for that year on both classes of stock were 9.19 per cent. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1903, the earnings were nearly $60,000 larger than in 1902, indicating that at least 10 per cent was earned on both classes of stock, and yet St. Paul sold at 140½ yesterday, a decline of 58¼ points. These two instances are cited to show that speculators and investors are not now paying any attention to earnings or business prospects. They are apparently waiting to see whether liquidation in the market has been completed, and from their inactivity the inference is drawn that the majority of the public leans to the opinion that nothing will be lost by waiting still longer. It is no use to repeat that large interests with ready money always seize opportunities like the present to purchase securities when the general public hesitates. The latter as a rule does not buy on a declining market, or in a lifeless market. The public requires a leader. The professional leaders of the market, like those who made possible the abnormally high prices of last August and September, are temporarily at least eliminated from the market. When the great financial interests in the street set about a campaign for the accumulation of securities with the object of changing control or solidifying railroad systems, they do not desire a following, and they adopt means for discouraging the public until their object has been accomplished.

Industrial stocks yesterday were as dull as the railroads, and the displayed the same general tendency. United States Steel common opened at 23¾, advanced to 23⅞, and then gradually sagged to 23½, closing at 23⅝ bid. The preferred opened at 71¾, slowly declined to 71 and closed at the lowest. The new bonds also sold off a fraction. The directors are scheduled to meet today, and, according to the rumors that were current the latter part of last week, some announcement may be made relatively to the presidency. Any new developments connected with the latter, however, have apparently been discounted. United Realty Construction preferred was the weakest of the industrial group, opening at 46½, advancing to 47, and then declining to 4¼, closing at 45¾. A financial report relating to the affairs of the company has been prepared, which, it is reported, will be made public this week. Amalgamated Copper was extremely dull all day, and ½ per cent covered the extreme fluctuations, the stock closing at 40⅝. There was only one transaction in Colorado Fuel and Iron, and all the minor iron and steel stocks were dull and nominally unchanged.

In the call loan market rates remained unchanged at 1¾ to 2 per cent. The offerings of time money were larger, and making due allowance for the demands of the crop moving season, the feeling is growing that this fall will not witness a recurrence of stringency in the money market. The basis for this opinion is that earlier in the year Wall street commission houses took on a larger amount of time money than usual, fearing another period of high rates similar to that experienced last fall. No one then anticipated such a volume of liquidation as has taken place. This liquidation has thrown upon the hands of the brokers a large amount of time money. The dullness in speculation, and the prospect that it will continue, prevents the brokers from employing their funds. They try to reduce the loss in interest paid on time money by redeeming the latter on call. This is the explanation for the low rates for call loans, and it is also having its effect upon rates for time loans. The street yesterday was inclined to take a more sensible view of Saturday's bank statement, and to see in the unusually heavy surplus reserves an offset to the large loans.

On the Pittsburgh stock exchange the stagnation was relatively as great as that in Wall street. The sales here reached only 2,432 shares of stock and $1,000 bond. The interest centered principally in Pittsburg Coal, which advanced to 28¼ for the common and to 8 for the preferred, closing a fraction below the best. Rover Coal common was unchanged at 10¼ bid, and only 10 shares of the preferred stock changed hands at 38¼, which was also unchanged. National Fire Proofing was not affected by the lockout declared by local building contractors. Manufacturers Light and Heat was a little firmer, but the other natural gas stocks remained unchanged. There were no sales of Crucible Steel common, which was quoted at 11½ bid, 11⅞ asked, and the preferred closed a fraction lower at 73½. United States Steel common closed at 23⅝, a decline of ¾, and the preferred at 71¼, a decline of ⅜. Westinghouse Electric was unchanged at 85, but closed lower at 84¾ asked. There was nothing doing in Airbrake, which was offered at 14. The only changes in the trust company group were an advance of 5 per cent in Dollar Savings and Trust to 340, and a decline in the quotations on American Trust to 400 bid, 44 asked. Colonial Trust sold unchanged at 500, and that price was bid for small lots. Farmers' Deposit National Bank was offered at 1,700.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 2,432 shares stock and $1,000 bonds. Sales.

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

5 Com. Trust	225	20 Dol. S. F. & S.	340
5 do	225	10 do	340
100 U. S. Steel	23⅞	10 Phila. Co	46
20 do	23⅞	10 Fire Proof	34
100 do	23⅞	20 do	34
5 do	24	10 Colonial Tr	500
100 Pgh. Coal	28¼	2 Pgh. Coal pfd	85

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

100 Pgh. Coal	28¼	5 Crucible pfd	74
50 do	28½	10 do	73¾
15 U. S. Steel pf	71¾	5 do	73¾
25 do	71¾	5 do	73¾
10 do	71¾	50 Fire Proof	22¼
200 do	71⅝	10 Com. Trust	225
20 Mfrs. L. & H.	34⅜	10 Fed. Nat. B.	160
25 Brewing	31⅛	50 Electric 2ds	85
50 do	31¼	5 do	85
10 do	31¼	8 Monon. Water	38½

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

7 Pgh. Coal pfd	85	50 Pgh. Coal	28⅛
10 do	84⅞	30 do	28⅛
50 U. S. Steel	23⅞	25 Mfrs. L. & H.	34⅜
10 do	23⅝	15 do	34½
100 do	23⅝	10 do	34½
100 do	23⅝	50 do	34¼
10 U. S. Steel pf	71⅝	50 do	34¼
50 Crucible pfd	73⅝	10 Fire Proof pf	34
50 Pgh. Coal	28⅛	22 do	34

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

25 U. S. Steel pf	71⅛	40 Brewing pfd	46
35 do	71¼	25 Pgh. Coal pfd	84¾
1 Fire Proof pf	35	12 do	85
35 Crucible pfd	73½	75 do	84½
5 do	73½	100 Mfrs. L. & H.	34⅛
5 do	73½	50 do	34½
100 Pgh. Coal	28	28 do	34¼
100 do	28	1 do	34½
40 Iron City Tr	145	10 do	34⅛
5 do	145	10 River Coal pf	38¼
1 Fire Proof	23	$1000 Brewing 6s	110¾

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
85 Brewing	31¼	31⅛	31¼	—⅛
40 Do pfd	46	46	46	0
120 Crucible pfd	*74	73½	73½	—½
51 Fire Proof	*23	22¼	*23	+1
63 Do pfd	*35	34	*35	+1
359 Mfrs. L. & H.	34½	34	34⅛	—⅝
8 Monon. Water	38½	38½	38½	0
10 Phila. Co	40	40	40	0
580 Pgh. Coal	28¼	28	28	0
131 Do pfd	85	84½	84½	+½
10 River Coal pfd	38¼	38¼	38¼	0
485 U. S. Steel	*24	23⅝	23⅝	—⅝
320 Do pfd	71¾	71⅛	71¼	—¾
55 Electric 2ds	85	85	85	0
10 Colonial Tr	500	500	500	0
20 Com. Trust	225	225	225	0
30 D. S. F. & T.	340	340	340	+5
10 Fed. Nat. B.	160	160	160	0
45 Iron City Tr	145	145	145	0
2432				
BONDS.				
$1000 Brewing 6s	110¾	110¾	110¾	—¼

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Allegheny National	50	....	150
Duquesne National	100	280	....
Exchange National	50	86	90
Farmers Deposit National	100	....	1700
Federal National	100	159	160
Fourth National	100	....	170
Fifth Avenue	50	73½	....
Pittsburgh Trust Cos.			
American Trust	100	400	445
Equitable Trust	100	....	183
Fidelity Title & Trust	100	....	510
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	....	199
Real Estate Trust	100	274	278
Safe Deposit & Trust Co	100	....	450
Commonwealth Trust	100	220	225
Allegheny City Banks.			
Allegheny Trust Company	100	148	150
Dollar Savings Fund & Trust	100	339	345
Natural Gas.			
Peoples Natural Gas & Pipe	25	....	32
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	34⅛	34¼
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	40	41
Mining.			
Luster	10	....	10
Railroads.			
Allegheny Valley preferred	50	24½	....
Electric Light.			
Westinghouse Assenting	50	....	84¾
Miscellaneous.			
Crucible Steel Co	100	11½	11⅞
Do preferred	100	73½	73⅝
Marsden	100	2	3
National Fire Proofing	50	22½	23
Do preferred	50	33½	34
Philadelphia Co	50	....	39½
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	....	154

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Pass. Ry. & Traction.			
Pgh. & Birm. Traction 5s	1929	112½	....

FEATURES OF THE DAY.

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $7,027,330, an increase of $99,000.

Stock exchange sales were only 2,432 shares stock and $1,000 bond.

Pittsburgh Coal common advanced to 28¼ and the preferred to 85.

United States Steel closed lower at 23⅝ for the common and 71¼ for the preferred.

Westinghouse Electric closed offered at 84¾ and Airbrake at 154.

American Trust was offered at 445 and Colonial sold at 500.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales for the day were 209,900 shares.

The stock market settled down into an almost immovable rut.

Union Pacific was forced down 1¼ but was not held there.

The strength in wheat was calculated to have a weakening effect on stocks.

The bond market was dull and irregular. Total sales (par value) $293,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the closing call.

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Consolidated Ice Co. pfd	50	....	38
Monon. River Coal & Coke	50	10¾	....
Do preferred	50	....	38¾
Pittsburgh Brewing Co. pfd	50	45¾	46¾
Pittsburgh Coal Co	100	....	28¾
Do preferred	100	84½	84¾
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co	100	....	130
United States Steel Co	100	23½	23⅝
Do preferred	100	71	71¼

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Pass. Ry. & Traction.			
Monongahela St. Ry. 5s	1928	110	....
Miscellaneous.			
Monon. Light & Power 5s	1949	100	....
Monon. Riv. Coal & Coke 6s	1949	113¾	....
Philadelphia Co. 5s	1949	....	110
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1949	110½	....
Wkbg. & E. Pgh. St. Ry. 5s	1929	110½	111

NOTES AND COMMENT.

There is ample reason for the dullness in local stocks in the firm condition of the money market. Possibly brokers could increase their borrowings in bank to a considerable extent if they would consent to take the money on call at 6 per cent, but the rate and the conditions attached thereto would not justify them in buying stocks on margin and carrying them for an indefinite period, all for the commission. If a local broker cannot make something off the interest account, the bare commission on the volume of business handled would not much more than pay running expenses. A good many margin orders are therefore turned down because of the condition of the money market, yet in many instances brokers volunteer the opinion that stocks are cheap at current prices, provided the buyer can take them up and has the patience to wait for a turn in monetary conditions.

American Trust was yesterday offered at 445 and closed at 400 bid, without any stock changing hands. These are the lowest quotations since last March, when the stock rose from 380 to 505 on sales of 1,350 shares. Yesterday's asking price of 445 is just $125 a share under the record price reached for the stock about two months ago, when the announcement was made that the Farmers Deposit National would participate in the deal. From January, 1902, when the stock sold at 112, to June, 1903, when the price reached 570, about 15,000 shares changed hands on the local board, or 5,000 shares more than the original capital. The bulk of the stock was acquired at or under 200, and if the latter price were taken as the average, and the syndicate subscribed for as much more of the new stock at 500, the stock would stand them today 350 a share. If the average cost of the old stock was 300, then their present holdings would stand at 400 a share, which was the bid price yesterday. Colonial Trust sold yesterday at 500 a share, which is $225 a share below the high price officially recorded last April, and $300 a share under the price at which private sales are said to have been made three months ago. The boom in Colonial occurred in August last year, when the stock advanced from 351 to 470 on sales of 300 shares, and within two months thereafter was selling at 680.

The government report on cotton showed an improvement of 2.4 points during the month of July.

The active trader misses American Window Glass common from the market. It was not only one of the best commission payers, but was a favorite with the speculators for a turn. It was nearly always good for fluctuations of from three to five points a week, and during the first three months of this year the transactions in it approximated 64,000 shares. In April when the stock was converted into American Machine Company stock the dealings fell off to 500 shares, and since then there have been no public transactions in it. Nothing has taken its place in the local market as a speculative favorite, and in as much as dividends ceased with the conversion, the present holders of the equivalent of the stock have an expensive burden.

Only 51 shares common and 63 shares preferred National Fire Proofing changed hands yesterday and prices were nominally unchanged, the market not being affected by the lockout in the building trades which have brought operations to a standstill.

Only 22,000 shares changed hands on the New York board yesterday during the hour from 11 o'clock to noon—almost a record for dullness in the stock market.

The regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on Peoples Gas of Chicago is payable August 25 to stock of record August 14.

Secretary Chaplin reports the transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange in July were 344,369 shares, against 340,511 shares in June, and 216,638 in July, 1902.

There was an unfounded report in Fourth avenue yesterday that the Union Trust would absorb the Colonial combination after the completion of the latter. Official denials were promptly forthcoming.

Mr. James J. Hill tells his friends in St. Paul that the Burlington road is now turning into the Northern Securities Company $7,000,000 of profit per annum, or 1¾ per cent on the entire 400,000,000 of Northern Securities share capital. He also declares that if Northern Securities should be forced into liquidation he believes he can liquidate it and return $140 per share. In London, in Canada, and in the northwest, James J. Hill is reputed to hold the sharpest lead pencil that has ever figured on northwestern prosperity, and this is what Mr. Hill declares his lead pencil proves: "If the northwest will grow one-half as much in the next 10 years as it has in the past 10 years, I can pay off not only the cost of the Burlington road but all the bonds of the Burlington road and all the bonds of the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern roads and increase the capital of the Northern Securities Company from $400,000,000 to $1,000,000,000 and pay 8 per cent thereon."

The feeling is growing that the Speyer interest in Mexican Central has added an element of strength which the old pool in the stock lacked. It is rumored that the foreign interest in the property is likely to become larger and also that its relations with Mexican National will be a good deal closer than they have been in the past.

New York bond houses reported an improved tone in the bond market and considerable investment demand.

Speaking of the outlook for copper stocks a Boston authority says: "There is little prospect that the price of copper will average lower than 12 cents in any one of the coming 10 years. The average price last year was the slightest fraction below 12 cents, notwithstanding that at the beginning of the year an accumulated surplus of between 200,000,000 and 300,000,000 pounds of copper was dumped on the market and an effort made by the sellers to break the price to 8 cents per pound. At the present time there is next to no surplus of copper in existence, either in this country or abroad, and there is no interest likely to undertake its accumulation. The metal market will be a natural one, and the stocks of copper producing companies, which can put their product on the market at a cost of 9 cents or less per pound, will prove sure and permanent investments."

The United States will make this year twice the amount of open hearth steel ingots that Great Britain will produce, twice the amount of pig iron, three times the number of tons of steel rails and at least five times the amount of Bessemer steel ingots.

Stock liquidation has unquestionably resulted in strengthening the control of strong men over the properties they represent. For there have been buyers of the securities which have been thrown upon the market, and it is reasonable to believe that these buyers, in most cases, are strong men in control of properties whose condition they know, and in whose future they believe. That this transfer of securities from the hands of many, so weakened in their resources that they were obliged to sell, into the hands of a few, strong enough to avail themselves of the opportunity to increase their power, will produce many changes, there can be no doubt. Already there have been striking proofs of this, and other proofs will be forthcoming. The suspension of W. L. Stow & Co. has, for instance, resulted in the transfer of a large block of the Mexican Central to Speyer & Co., who are largely interested in the Mexican National; and this is not unlikely to bring about closer relations between those two systems. The importance of this will be at once understood, when it is recalled that Mexico is enjoying a period of expansion under the progressive rule of President Diaz, that it is placing its silver money on a gold basis, and that American capital is entering largely into the development of Mexican fields of investment. Then, the recent liquidation has enabled the controlling interests in Union Pacific largely to increase their holdings of Southern Pacific, thus augmenting their power to carry out their plans for the development of that system.

VERY STRONG EVIDENCE OF NATION'S PROSPERITY

Saturday's New York Bank Statement Showing Increased Loans a Surprise.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Bank officials who discussed today the showing of the associated banks in Saturday's statement were almost unanimous in saying that the increase of nearly $1,000,000 in loans was the strongest kind of evidence of the commercial prosperity of the country.

Wall street, in view of the liquidation in stocks, was preparing for a contraction in bank obligations, and professed great disappointment when the contrary condition was shown. The stock market was dull and heavy today. The following clear explanation of the rise in bank loans was given by a downtown bank official:

"I consider the increase in loans shown Saturday a fine index of the commercial prosperity of the United States. For months business men in all sections of the country have been making appeals to the banks for accommodations with poor success. Just as soon as stock liquidation became heavy and the cash resources of the banks increased thereby, we were in a position to accommodate our mercantile clients. Their demands have been enormous and came from nearly every branch of trade. So while Wall street has been reducing its commitments the merchants are getting loans as fast as the banks will make them. The banks have more capital and surplus by $88,000,000 than a year ago, which gives them more loanable capacity."

FRANK A. PARKER.

EARNINGS ARE INCREASED.

Pennsylvania Railroad's Statement Shows Large Volume of Busines.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company's comparison of earnings and expenses for June, 1903, and for six months ending June 30, 1903, with same period of 1902 is as follows: Lines directly operated, June, 1903, gross earnings increased $1,231,800; expenses increased $1,107,500, net earnings increased $123,900. Six months ending June 30, 1903: gross earnings increased $6,735,400, expenses increased $7,051,300, net earnings decreased $317,900.

Lines west of Pittsburgh and Erie, directly operated, June, 1903, gross earnings increased $888,600, expenses increased $811,700, net earnings increased $77,200. Six months ending June 30, 1903, gross earnings increased $3,214,800, expenses increased $3,442,000, net earnings decreased $227,800.

THE MONEY MARKET

The local money market is firm and unchanged at 6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$7,027,330 56	$1,536,101 28
Last week	7,258,220 01	1,324,211 96
Last year	6,928,144 36	1,431,229 63

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $231,256,029; gold, $101,089,506; silver, $30,421,621; United States notes, $11,591,278; treasury notes, $92,044; national bank notes, $15,895,967. Total receipts this day, $2,163,167; total receipts this month, $6,400,838; total receipts this year, $35,012,414; total expenditures this day, $1,620,000; total expenditures this month, $4,550,000; total expenditures this year, $40,938,189; deposits in national banks, $155,983,340.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchange, and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
24425	A., T. & S. F.	62⅛	62½	61⅛	61⅝
633	Do preferred	88½	88⅝	88⅜	88½
	Am. Cot. Oil	30	30	30	29½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	84
200	Am. Sugar Ref.	115¾	115¾	115¼	115
	Do preferred	....	....	....	118
70	Am. Locomotive	18	18	17⅝	17⅝
100	Do preferred	83½	83½	83½	82¾
420	Am. Car F.	32½	32½	32⅛	32⅛
430	Do preferred	85	85	85	84
	Am. Can	....	....	....	4¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	29½
6670	Amal. Copper	41	41⅛	40⅝	40⅝
	Anaconda Cop	....	....	....	78
150	Am. Sm. & Ref.	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅜
312	Do preferred	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	90½
	Amer. Ice	6½	6½	6½	6½
	Do preferred	23	23	23	22½
3110	Balt. & Ohio	83	83¼	82⅝	82⅝
1245	Do preferred	86	86	85⅞	85
2056	B. Rap. Transit	45¼	45½	44⅝	44⅝
1300	Can. Pacific	122⅞	123	122½	122¼
710	Chi. & Gt. W.	15½	15½	15¼	15⅛
200	Con. Gas	186½	186½	185½	185
200	C., C., C. & St. L.	71¼	71¾	71	70
700	Ches. & Ohio	32½	32½	32¼	32¼
900	Chi. & Alton	21	21⅜	20⅝	21⅛
100	Do preferred	64	64	64	64
400	Chi. & N. W.	166	166	164⅝	164½
100	Col. F. & I.	44¾	44¾	44¾	44⅝
	Corn Product	28½	28½	28½	28
	Do preferred	80	80	79⅞	79½
100	Col. So	13½	13½	13½	13½
100	Do 1st pfd	51⅝	51⅝	51⅝	51½
100	Do 2d pfd	22	22	22	21½
	Del., L. & W.	....	....	....	245
	Del. & Hudson	....	....	....	162
6800	Erie	28⅝	29	28½	28¾
3140	Do 1st pfd	66⅝	66⅝	65⅝	66¼
	Do 2d pref	....	....	....	48
200	Gen. Electric	162	162	160½	160
	Hocking Valley	....	....	....	71⅝
600	Do preferred	....	....	....	83
750	Illinois Central	130	130	129½	129⅝
	Iowa Central	....	....	....	18
100	Do preferred	....	....	....	34
200	Inter. Paper	11¼	11¼	11¼	11
	Do preferred	....	....	....	65
	Inter. Power	....	....	....	42
	L. E. & W.	....	....	....	28
	Do preferred	....	....	....	94
700	Lo. & Nash	104⅝	104⅝	104	103½
1353	Manhattan	133	133	132½	132⅝
4000	Mo. Pacific	97⅛	98	97	97
	M., K. & T. pfd	....	....	....	39½
1110	Metropolitan	119	119⅝	119	119
	Mex. Central	15	15⅛	14½	14⅝
100	National Lead	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
	National Biscuit	....	....	....	38
	Do preferred	100¼	100¼	100⅛	100
6800	N. Y. Central	119⅝	119⅝	119	119
1000	N. Y., O. & W.	23	23	22⅞	22⅞
850	Norfolk & West.	62⅝	62⅝	62⅛	62¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	85
800	North American	78	78½	77	78¾
	Omaha	....	....	....	120
1010	Peoples Gas	95	95¼	94⅝	94⅝
300	Pacific Mail	20	20	20	20¼
200	Pullman	216	216¼	216	216½
2300	P. S. Car	44¼	44½	44¼	44¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	80½
18430	Penna. R. R.	123⅛	123⅛	122⅝	122⅝
200	P. C. C. & St. L.	63¾	63½	63	62
	Do preferred	....	....	....	70
	Railway Springs	26	26	26	25
7200	Reading	48¾	48⅝	48	48½
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	80⅝
400	Do 2d pfd	67	67	67	67
16580	Rock Island	23¾	23⅝	23¼	23⅜
600	Do preferred	61½	62½	61½	61½
	Republic Iron	....	....	....	11⅜
200	Do preferred	64½	64¼	64¼	64
	St. L. & S. F. 1st pf	....	....	....	65
	Do 2d pfd	50	50	50	49⅝
7170	Southern Pacific	43¼	43½	42⅝	43
500	Southern Ry	21	21	20⅝	20½
800	Do preferred	85	85	85	84
5400	St. Paul	141	141¼	140½	140⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	171
110	St. L. & S. W.	14	14	14	14
200	Do preferred	30½	30½	30½	30½
810	Tenn. C. & I.	39	40	38⅝	39
200	Texas & Pacific	25½	26	25½	25
	T., St. L. & W.	....	....	....	20¼
245	Do preferred	29	29	29	28¼
14450	U. S. Steel	23⅝	23⅝	23½	23⅝
4925	Do preferred	71½	71⅝	71	71
26770	Union Pacific	74⅝	75	73⅛	73⅝
340	Do preferred	85⅝	85⅝	85¼	85⅝
200	U. S. Rubber	10	10	9½	9
200	U. S. Leather	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	80½
	U. S. R. & Cons	9½	9½	9½	9½
	Do preferred	45½	47	45¼	45¾
100	Wabash	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	36⅝
200	Western Union	82¾	84	82⅝	82½
125	W. & L. E.	15	15	15	15
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	39
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	23½
520	Wisconsin Cent.	17⅝	17⅝	17½	17¼
200	Do preferred	35⅝	35⅝	35	37½
	INACTIVE LIST.				
300	Am. H. & L. pfd	....	18	15	18
500	American Malt	....	2½	2½	2½
200	Do preferred	....	15¼	15⅛	15⅛
1400	Amer. Linseed	....	9½	9½	9½
100	Chi. Ter. T. pfd	....	20½	20½	19½

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
100	D. & R. G.	....	24	24	24
100	Det. Un. Railw'y	....	70	70	70
100	E. & T. H.	....	62½	62½	62½
200	K. C. & S.	....	21½	21	21½
500	K.C.,F.S.& M.pfd	....	69½	69	69½
100	Long Island R.R.	....	62	62	62
400	St. P. & S. S. M.	....	51	50½	50½
11000	Do preferred	....	128	125½	127⅝
450	Nor. Securities	....	82	80	80½
300	M., K. & T. com	....	19¼	19⅛	19¼
430	N.R.R. of M.pfd	....	38½	38⅜	38½
300	N. Y. Airbrake	....	127¼	127	127¼
100	Pe. Marquette	....	79	79	79
700	Rubber Goods	....	13½	13⅛	13⅛
200	Do preferred	....	65⅝	65	65⅝
100	St.J. & G.I.1st pf	....	37	37	37
200	Sloss	....	33	33	....
2000	Va. Car.Chem	....	34	32	33

New York Closing Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg	105¾	Mex. Cent. 1st inc	17
Do coupon	106¾	M. & St. L. 4s	95½
U. S. 3s, reg	106¾	M., K. & T. 4s	96½
Do coupon	106¾	Do 2ds	77½
U. S. new 4s, reg	134½	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	96
Do coupon	134½	N. J. C. gen. 5s	127
U. S. old 4s, reg	109½	Nor. Pacific 4s	100
Do coupon	109½	Do 3s	70½
U. S. 5s, reg	101¾	N. & W. con. 4s	97¾
Do coupon	101¾	Reading gen. 4s	95¼
Atchison gen. 4s	99⅝	St.L. & I.M. c. 5s	100½
Do adj. 4s	87¾	St. L. & S. F. 4s	96½
Balt. & Ohio 4s	100½	St. L. S. W. lsts	92¾
Do 3½s	92½	*Do 2ds	67
Do conv. 4s	100	San A. & A. P. 4s	75
Can. So. 2ds	105	So. Pacific 4s	85⅝
Cent. of Ga. 5s	103¾	So. Railway 5s	112½
Do 1st inc	60½	Tex. & Pac. lsts	115
Ches. & O. 4½s	102⅝	T. S. L. & W. 4s	71½
*Chi. & Alt. 3½s	78	Union Pac. 4s	99½
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	89¾	Do conv. 4s	93¾
*C.,M.&St.P. g. 4s	98½	Wabash lsts	115½
C. & N. W. c. 7s	128¾	Do 2ds	104
C., R. I. & P. 4s	101	Do deb. B	59½
*C.C.C.&St.L. g. 4s	96½	West Shore 4s	107½
Chi. Term. 4s	86	W. & L. E. 4s	88
Col. & So. 4s	86	Wis. Central 4s	88
D. & Rio G. 4s	97⅝	Con. Tobacco 4s	55⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	96¾	*Col. F. & I. 5s	80½
Do gen. 4s	82½	Rock Island 4s	76⅝
*Ft.W. & D.C. 1st	106	Penna. conv. 3½s	95⅝
Hock. Val. 4½s	104½	Manhat. c. gold 4s	100
Lo. & N. uni. 4s	98⅝	U. S. S. 2d 5s	80
Mex. Cent. 4s	72		

*Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Can	4¼	Manhat. Transit	2¾
Do preferred	29½	New Am. Gas 5s	106
Am. Elev. R. R.	½	Nor. Securities	88¾
Bay State Gas	⅛	N. Y. El. Veh. T.	4½
British Col. Cop	3	Otis Elevator	30
Brooklyn Ferry	3	Do preferred	87
Electric Boat	15	Royal B. Pow. pf	90½
Do preferred	30	Seaboard Air Line	19
Elec. Vehicle	6	Do preferred	34
Do preferred	8½	Standard Oil	610
Greene Cons. Cop	19	Tenn. Copper	27
Hav. Tobacco	25	Union Copper	⅝
Inter. Salt	10	White Knob Cop	8⅝

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Penna. R. R.	61½	Phila. Electric	5⅝
Phila. Traction	94½	United Gas Imp	84½
Union Traction	45⅝	Welsbach	18
Elec. & Pac. 4s	56	Tidewater Steel	2
Lehigh Valley	40	Cam. Steel, ex-div	22
Con. Lake Sup	2	Elec. Co. of Am	7⅝
Do preferred	7	Amer. Railways	41⅝
Storage	30	Phila. Co	39½
Do preferred	34	Do 5s	99
Marsden	2	Railways General	3

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	61⅝	Amer. Sugar	115
Do preferred	88⅝	Do preferred	118½
Boston & Albany	246	Am. Tel. & Tel	131
N.Y., N. H. & H.	198	Dom. Iron & Steel	11
Fitchburg pfd	133	United Fruit	100
Union Pacific	73⅝	U. S. Steel	23⅝
Mexican Central	14½	Do preferred	71

Chicago Stocks.

American Can	4½	Nat. Carbon pfd	80
Do preferred	30	Swift & Co	104⅝
Diamond Match	130½	Met. L. pfd	55
Nat. Biscuit	36½	City Railway	170
Do preferred	100½		

Movements in Trade.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—At a meeting of a board of the directors of the Metropolitan Elevated Railway Company today, the regular quarterly dividends were practically passed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The treasury department today bought 160,000 ounces of silver for Philippine coinage at an average of $0.5460, all for delivery at San Francisco.

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 3.—The Saginaw, Bay City Railway & Lake Company, capital $3,000,000, was incorporated here today. The company is authorized to construct and operate plants for the supply of heat, light and power. Incorporators: Joseph F. Cotter, William F. Ebbell and I. C. Claw.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Application of Edwin A. McAlpin of Ossining and others for the appointment of a receiver for the Universal Tobacco Company, came up in Jersey City today. The petitioners charge that President William H. Butler has been a party to a plan to wreck the company and has misapplied the company's funds. The company has a stock of $1,000,000. On March 31 last it had assets of $1,135,000, and liabilities of $940,000.

ANOTHER DULL DAY IN STOCK EXCHANGE

Outside of a Little Scattering Liquidation the Dealings Were Professional.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The stock market of yesterday was little more than a continuance of the dull session of Saturday, and seemed to be influenced—if influenced at all—by the same considerations, disappointment over the failure of the bank loans to show contraction after the storm of liquidation. Banking interests express themselves as not in the slightest disturbed by the fact that the loans increased, and pointed to the excellent showing made by the banks as to cash holdings and surplus reserve. The theory is that the loan increase simply reflects a shift between the trust companies and the banks.

The professional traders were very much disheartened by the course of the market, but in banking circles it was described as a "normal and logical market," quiet after a storm. The dealings of the day, aside from a little scattering liquidation, were almost entirely of a professional nature. But the dealings were light, and the attendance of brokers on the floor of the exchange and of the customers in offices was exceedingly limited.

The traders said that they could do nothing in the market. If they bought, they held, prices melted away, and if they sold short, they were unable to cover at a profit. In many quarters the dullness was attributed more largely to brokers taking their vacations, which were broken into or deferred by the recent break, than to any other cause.

CORNER STONE LAID.

Beltzhoover Liederkranz Made the Hilltop Lively Last Night.

The corner stone of the new hall of the Beltzhoover Liederkranz was laid last evening with appropriate exercises. The new building is being erected at Industry street and Curtin avenue, in the Thirty-eighth ward. The structure will cost $14,000 and the members of the society expect to see it finished some time in November.

The exercises last evening began with a parade through the principal streets of the Thirty-eighth ward. The various German societies of the South Side and Hilltop were represented, and about 500 men were in line. The principal speech was delivered by Louis Voltz of Mt. Oliver, supreme president of the German Beneficial union. After the corner stone had been laid, the members and their friends repaired to the Allentown Turners' hall, where an informal reception and social was held.

John Kleegas, Henry Grielle, Joseph Italiener, Julius Gulden and Leonard Hantzleman, constituted the committee having charge of the affair.

BOY RAN AWAY WITH AN UMBRELLA MENDER

The Pittsburgh police were notified last night by the authorities of Roanoke, Va., to be on the lookout for Hugh Jones, aged 12 years, a boy of good family who disappeared from his home on May 10 last with an umbrella mender, Frank Delaney, who travels through Virginia, West Virginia, Ohio and Western Pennsylvania. Delaney is about 60 years of age.

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NEWS FROM THE MINES.

A recent strike is reported in the Liverpool mine at Lump Gulch, near Clancy, Montana. The property was extensively worked during the boom in Lump Gulch 10 years ago when over $300,000 in ore was extracted. The present company has developed the mine to a greater depth and have been rewarded by striking what is the largest deposit of ore yet encountered in the mine and what is predicted by experts will prove the largest deposit of silver ore yet discovered in Montana. The company has sunk the shaft from the 400-foot, sunk by the old company, to 750 feet, with crosscuts at the 500, 600 and 750-foot levels, and in each of these has found large deposits of ore with increased values as depth is attained. It is a true fissure vein, and the ore assays from $72 to as high as $327 per ton, the best ore being taken at the lowest level, of which assays are now being made. It is estimated that the main vein at the 750-foot level will run 1,000 ounces of silver per ton. At the grass roots the vein was about three inches wide and has widened to six feet at the 500-foot level, and is much wider at the lowest level.

The Jacquemin Rothfus mines, near Elkhorn, have been sold to the Pittsburgh-Montana Mining Company for $25,000. There are three claims in the group.

The New Boston Mining Company, capital $600,000, composed of Dakota capitalists, has been incorporated to work a group of mines at Corbin, near Helena.

The July output of the Cripple Creek district was 56,600 tons of ore, giving total returns $1,844,750, an increase of $83,000 over June. The smelters treated 11,000 tons, returning an average of $65, while the chemical reduction mills handled the rest of the ore.

Incorporation papers were filed last week by the Cripple Creek Consolidated Mining and Milling Company, composed entirely of Boston investors. The company owns 12 acres of patented ground on Gold Hill, 10 acres near Victor, and also a two-year lease of the Rocky mountain property, which adjoins El Paso, on Beacon hill. Both of the veins, which have been worked by the El Paso, are known to run through the Rock mountain ground. The first shipment Friday gave returns averaging $105 per ton. Work will be pushed to get the properties into good shape before next winter.

The Golden Cycle Company has declared a dividend of three cents per share. The Vindicator also has declared a dividend of three cents per share, to be paid August 10. The total dividends of the Vindicator reach nearly $1,250,000.

The Cripple Creek mining stock exchange has ceased calls, presumably on account of the summer vacation period.

The Daly-West Mining Company yesterday declared the regular monthly dividend of 60 cents a share, payable August 15.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Metals—Owing to the bank holiday the London metal markets were closed. Tin steady, with spot quoted at $28 60@29 00. Copper ruled about steady, with lake and electrolytic quoted at $13 00@13 25 and casting at $12 75@13 00. The exports of copper during July amounted to 8,405 tons, making the total exports for the seven months 72,242 tons, against 106,011 tons for the same period last year. Lead steady, but lower, at $4 20 for spot and $4 12½ for August. Spelter remained quiet at $5 87½. Iron was quiet and nominally unchanged. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $17 50@18 00; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $16 50@17 00; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, at $16 75@17 00.

Pittsburgh Industrial Exchange.

Yesterday's sales were as follows:

200 shares Brundage	.99
1,000 shares South Dewey	.20
780 shares Par Value	.10
500 shares Hidden Fortune	.24
640 shares Par Value	.09½
140 shares Par Value	.09½
400 shares Federal L. Z. & S.	.25
500 shares Pgh. Cons. M., M. & T.	.21

Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.
Black Diamond Copper	....	2.87½
Black Hills Copper, Ariz	....	.30
Bitter Creek	....	.06
Brundage M. & R.	....	.99½
Black Rock, Arizona	....	.25
Boston-Idaho Copper	....	.10
Calumet & Arizona	....	115.00
Calumet & Pittsburgh	....	115.00
Colonial Copper	.30	.38½
Copete Copper	1.53	1.60
Columbus Cons. B. H.	....	.56½
Cal. King Gold	....	.79
Ethel Cons. Mines pfd	....	.15½
Federal L. Z. & S.	....	.26
Happy Day Mining	.26¼	.28
Golconda Cons	....	.18
Hidden Fortune	....	.24
Homestake, S. D.	63.00	68.00
Horseshoe, S. D. pfd	.27½	.28¼
Hercules Silver, Mexico	....	.20
Idaho M. M. & Transport	....	.10
Kalamazoo Copper Enc'p't	....	.20
Mine La Motte	8.12½	9.30
Moss Rose L. & S.	.14½	.15
Majestic Copper	....	2.50
Mystic Shrine	....	.27
Nonpareil	....	.15
New York Grass Valley	....	.30
Oregon Securities	....	.17
Par Value	.07	.08
Pgh. & Montana Copper	....	42.00
Pgh. Cons. M., M. & T.	.15	.22
Pittsburgh & Gunnison	....	.17½
Scantic G. M.	.30	....
Stony Pass Mining	....	.35
Searchlight C. G. M. & M.	....	.15
South Dewey	.19	.20
Tombstone Cons	2.50	3.00
Tombstone Bond	....	1000.00
Tombstone Bond & Stock	1000.00	1350.00
Thunder Mt. G. & S. M.	....	1.50
Thunder Mt. Gold King	....	.25
Trade Dollar Mining	.60	1.25
Tonopah com	....	7.50
Geo. A. Treadwell	6.50	7.12½
Verde Grande	....	1.30
Verde King	....	.40
Vianaga G. M.	.14	.20
Virginia National Copper	....	31.00
Ward Rose	.06	.10
West Gold Hill Mining	....	.30
Winner L. & Z.	.02½	....
Gold Canyon M. Co	....	.05
Standard Mines Milling	....	.04½
Upper Ten Mining & Oil	....	.15
Buckeye Oil & Refining	....	.10
Cleveland & Parkersburg	3.75	....
Columbia Petroleum	....	65.00
Empire State Oil	....	.09½
Ohio-Ind. Oil, Logansport	....	1.25
Pgh. & Ind. Oil & Gas	....	17.00
American Cotton Picker	....	38.00
Amer. Dist. Teleg., N. J.	....	91.00
Colonial Lithograph pfd	....	95.00
Colonial Lithograph com	....	45.00
Consolidated Real Estate	....	46.50
East Liverpool Potteries	60.00	85.00
Gabel Manufacturing Co	....	18.00
O'Keefe Medicine	....	1.00
Pgh. & Amazon R. T.	....	1.00
Para Rubber	....	10.00
Patterson Coal & Supply	60.00	100.00
Routt County Coal	.19	.25
Schilling Drug Company	....	48.00
West. Auto. A. & S. Coup	....	50.00
Youngst'n Iron, Sheet & T.	....	93.00

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bids.
Allouez	....	....	....	5
Adventure	....	....	....	5½
Amalgamated	....	....	....	40½
Arcadian	2	2	2	1⅞
Atlantic	....	....	....	8
Black Diamond	....	....	....	*3
Bingham	....	....	....	22½
Calumet & Arizona	†100	*120	....	100
Calumet & Cochise	....	....	....	*11
Calumet & Hecla	....	....	....	435
Centennial	....	....	....	15
Calumet & Pgh	*100	....	....	*110
Elm River	3	3	3	....
Franklin	8¼	8¼	8¼	7½
L. S. & P. D.	....	....	....	*60
Majestic	†2	*2⅜	....	2⅜
Mass	....	....	....	4½
Mohawk	....	....	....	38½
Michigan	7	7	7	6½
Montreal & Boston	....	....	....	⅝
Osceola	51	51	51	50½
Old Dominion	11½	13½	11½	12
Old Colony	....	....	....	1¼
Parrot	....	....	....	18½
Phoenix	....	....	....	3¾
Pittsburgh & Duluth	....	....	....	*50
Quincy	....	....	....	87
Range Consolidated	43	43	42¾	42⅝
Rhode Island	....	....	....	1½
Swift	....	....	....	103½
Trinity	5¼	5⅜	5	5
Tamarack	....	....	....	80
United Fruit	....	....	....	100
Utah	25	25	25	24½
U. S. Mining	17¾	17¾	17¾	17½
Victoria	....	....	....	4
Wolverine	63	63	63	63½
Winona	....	....	....	7½

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	.12	Little Chief	.06
Alice	.18	*Ontario	6.50
Breece	.15	Ophir	1.45
*Brunswick Con	.04	*Phoenix	.08
Comstock Tunnel	.06	Potosi	.18
Con. Cal. & Va	1.40	Savage	.14
Horn Silver	1.00	Sierra Nevada	.52
Iron Silver	1.50	Small Hopes	.20
Leadville Con	.02	*Standard	3.00

*Offered.

SILENT ABOUT SHARON.

Corey Has Nothing to Say of Future Plans for the Big Steel Plant There.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—W. E. Corey, president of the Carnegie Steel Company and acting president of the United States Steel Corporation, declines to affirm or deny the report from Pittsburgh that the Sharon works of the Carnegie Steel Company have closed for an indefinite period, throwing 700 men out of employment.

From other sources it is ascertained that the shutdown of the blast furnace, blooming mill and open-hearth department is for the usual annual summer overhauling, and that their resumption is not conditional upon the completion of the angle mill now being built.

Foreign Money Market.

PARIS, Aug. 3.—Three per cent rentes, 98 francs 37½ centimes for the account; exchange on London, 25 francs 13½ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, Aug. 3.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 38½ pfennings for checks. The rate of discount for short bills, 4 per cent; and for three months' bills, 3¼ per cent.

Electric Stocks at Boston.

West. com	85	Mass. Electric	21½

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NINETEENTH WARD RESIDENCE SOLD

W. S. Brown Buys Property at Stanton Avenue and St. Clair Street.

OAKLAND SALE OF $35,000

Turtle Creek Farm Brings $17,000—A $40,000 Plant for Braddock and a $50,000 Hotel for Second Avenue—Improvements in the Suburbs.

Another choice residence in the Nineteenth ward was disposed of yesterday for $25,000, the sale having been made by A. L. Watson of the firm of Cooper & McAllister. The property is at the southwest corner of Stanton avenue and St. Clair street and measures 70x165 feet. It is known as the J. P. Reed holdings. The buyer is W. S. Brown, the gun merchant, who takes the place for a home. The residence is a large reception-hall house with modern conveniences, and the location, in the heart of one of the best residence districts of the East End, makes it a very desirable property for a home.

The sale is reported of the of the W. Dewees Wood property in Atwood street, Oakland, for a price approximating $35,000. One hundred feet or more of the Wood holdings at Forbes and Atwood streets was bought over a year ago by James J. Flannery as a site for the Iroquois apartments, which have been completed several months. The part recently sold is directly in the rear of the Iroquois, and has a frontage of about 235 feet in the west side of Atwood street, running back 220 feet to Meyran street. On the plot stands the old Wood residence, a 16-room brick house. No intimation was given as to the buyer or whether the purchase was made for residence or business purposes, although in view of the rapidly growing importance of this corner as a business center the latter is very probable.

Two Good Sales in Bradock.

George F. Dowling of Braddock has bought from Mrs. Eva Chalfant a farm of 21 acres one mile north of Turtle Creek on the Greensburg pike for $17,000, or about $800 an acre. The property is improved with a handsome house and outbuildings, and is said to have been bought for a summer home. It is on the electric line of the proposed street car line from Turtle Creek to Wilkinsburg, which runs on the Greensburk pike and for which the rights of way have already been secured. Only a short distance away Thomas Morrison, general manager of the Edgar Thomson steel works of the Carnegie Steel Company, bought a farm last year. Other purchases of handsome farm properties in the neighborhood indicate that the territory along the new street car line will be very popular for summer homes.

Through John Clifford of Braddock the Dawes Manufacturing Company has bought 94x270 feet in the west side of Carey avenue, Braddock. The property belonged to William Magill and the consideration was $13,500. On the lot the firm, who are large manufacturers of signs, will build a three-story factory and warehouse, to cost $40,000.

New Hotel to be Built.

Second avenue is likely to get a new hotel as the result of the closing of the deal for the old Oxford hotel property yesterday. It was sold some time ago by August Cobbel through the Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company for $60,000, and by the delivery of the deed it appears that the present owner is John M. Goehring. The present building, which was used for a hotel for years, is an old three-story brick on lot 24x65 feet, facing in the north side of the avenue above Grant street. The new owner, it is said, contemplates tearing this down and erecting in its place a six-story modern hotel, to cost $50,000. With the Baltimore & Ohio railroad improvements and the new buildings that are assured for Grant street, this corner of the city is coming into more favorable notice and a good hotel at this point would be a paying venture it is thought.

Joseph B. Gloekler has bought four parcels of property in the Twelfth ward for $31,750. The largest of these was an improved lot, 24x130 feet, in Penn avenue, near Thirtieth street, and extending through to Mulberry alley, which he bought for $11,500 from William C. Borland. From William Forsythe he secured a lot 30x72 feet in Thirtieth street for $7,500; from Edward L. Kearns a lot 30x72 feet in the west side of Thirtieth street, adjoining the former property, for $4,250, and from Henry Kober a lot 22x72 feet at the northwest corner of Thirtieth street and Mulberry alley for $8,500. The lots are improved with old two-story brick houses.

New Allotment at Oakmont.

H. H. Willock has about completed arrangements for placing on the market his new allotment known as Oakmont Heights, which he bought a few months ago from James Dalzell. The property adjoins the grounds lately purchased by the Oakmont Country club for golf links. It has been plotted into lots containing from one-half an acre to an acre, which are to be sold for from $1,200 to $3,000 each. Sixty-foot streets with all the usual lot improvements will be provided throughout the plan. Two fine houses are already contracted for on this property, the $25,000 residence of M. Scott Verner and a brick and stone residence for Charles Bailey, to cost an equal sum.

The improvements which have been made this summer in the Twenty-second ward along the Beechwood boulevard are attracting the interest of a number of good buyers, and several large deals for home sites in that neighborhood are booked for early closing, in addition to those which have been announced within the past two weeks. Practically all the territory bounded by Shady avenue, Phillips avenue, Forbes street and the boulevard will have been graded and leveled by blasting by September 1, so that it will be available for lots. These are being laid out with a frontage of from 50 to 150 feet each, so that with the building restrictions enforced a high-class residence district is always assured.

Local Firm Builds Texas Brewery.

The Wilhelm Griesser Construction Company is receiving estimates on a large brewery to be built for the El Paso Brewing Company in El Paso, Tex.

Architect J. K. A. Biles has awarded the contract to Howard F. Harvey of Etna for a residence for Miss Adaline M. Thomas, to cost $35,000.

Jacob Sloan has bought from Louis A. Meyran a residence property 19.5x93 feet in the north side of Fifth avenue, near Wyandotte lane, Fourteenth ward, for $15,000.

Allegheny—L. A. Clark & Co. sold for L. A. Clark, seven lots, 25x100 feet each, in Osgood street, Tenth ward, Allegheny, for $5,950. They were bought by a prominent contractor, who will at once build seven houses, to cost $2,500 each. This sale closes out the entire plan laid out by Mr. Clark a year ago.

Allegheny—The Real Estate Savings and Trust Company sold for W. Gordon Miller to E. T. W. Craig 50x150 feet in Watson boulevard, Fifteenth ward, Allegheny, for $1,500. The buyer will build.

Herron avenue—M. J. Ehrenfeld of the Consolidated Real Estate Company sold for Peter B. Nolan to Hugh McCambridge two frame houses, lot 25x80 feet, in the north side of Herron avenue, for $2,100.

Purchase on the Hill.

Washington avenue—Eva B. Jones sold to Charles E. Pond an improved lot 30x115 feet, in the south side of Washington avenue, Thirty-eighth ward, for $8,850.

Steuben street—Margaretha Viertheller sold to Christina J. Hermann an improved lot, 20x120 feet, in the south side of Steuben street, near Mill street, Thirty-sixth ward, for $5,000; to Elizabeth M. Gundlefinger an improved lot, 32x60 feet, in the south side of the same street, for $6,500; to Louis E. Viertheller an improved lot, 60x60 feet, in Mill street, for $4,800.

Three New Industrial Sites.

Through the office of Edward G. Lang the Cruikshank Brothers Company has sold to the Iron City Heating Company property at Pennsylvania avenue and Jackson street, Allegheny, which the former firm now occupies, for $35,000. The lot has a frontage of 80 feet in Pennsylvania avenue and 60 feet in Jackson street, with a depth of 210 feet. It is improved with a four-story brick factory building and a three-story warehouse. The Cruikshank Company is now remodeling its plant at Preble and Island avenues, Allegheny, which it recently bought through the same broker from the C. C. Hax Leather Company. As soon as these improvements are completed the Iron City Heating Company will take possession and remodel the buildings to suit the needs of their business.

Mr. Lang also sold for the William Flaccus Oak Leather Company to the J. H. Faulhaber Company, limited, a site 100x110 feet in Villa street, Allegheny, for $3,000. The new owners will at once erect a five-story brick candy factory on the lot.

The Daws Manufacturing Company, makers of illuminated signs, yesterday closed a deal for a property in Corey avenue, Braddock, on which to erect a three-story factory that will employ 500 men. The property is 94x270 feet on the north side of Corey avenue, near the Pennsylvania road and was owned by William Magill and William Howatt. The price paid was $13,500.

Transfers Recorded.

Valley Realty Co to E D Hughes, May 18, '03, N Versailles twp, 30x120, Hampton st	$ 600
Boar Geo to R A Kelly, July 1, '03, N Versailles twp, 30x100, Pittsburgh ave	1,850
Loose J M to D W Reichart, May 13, '03, Swissvale, 25x193, Milligan ave	625
Readshaw Geo A to Cath M Lynch, May 27, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x93, Monticello st	7,000
Ross Wm to Jacob Donnell, Dec 9, '02, Fawn twp, 230 acres	3,250
Sivy Andy to Jno Kovalski, July 24, '03, S Fayette twp, 60x155, Campbell st	800
Jackson H to W S Cramer, July 27, '03, Sterrett twp, lot	2,600
Kunzst Pauline to E Mendelstein, July 29, '03, 14th wd, Pgh, 24x95, Locust st	7,300
Friend J W to S Witchell, May 22, '03, Chartiers twp, lot	600
Hays Stella D to E Yeager, Jan 10, '03, Baldwin twp, lot	180
Lewis Maud to Burtner Realty Co, July 28, '03, Chartiers twp, 100x100, Chartiers ave	3,800
Pusey G W to Bessie Swindell, June 9, '03, 10th wd, Ally, 175x164, Maple ave	2,600
Walsh Patrick to Mary Shomsky, July 20, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 34x74, Alexis st	1,600
Moreland A M to S W Friedman, April 28, '03, 6th wd, Pgh, 15x122, Bluff st	5,400
Hill R H to E Gaillot, Mch 27, '03, Leetsdale, 25x200, Beaver road	1,600
Craig Wm F to C I Bucinger, July 29, '03, Wkbg, 25x122, Rebecca st	4,300
Wallace S to R B Mackintosh, July 7, '03, S Fayette twp, 9 acres	2,700
Murray A B to Bridgeville Trust Co, July 25, '03, Bridgeville, 50x125, Washington ave	3,000
Palmer C A to J A Jamison, July 29, '03, Wkbg, 26x20, Savannah ave	5,000
Johnson O E to J S Logan, Mch 11, '03, 7th wd, McKpt, 36x73, Evans ave	3,300
Sandin J A to H F Rambler, Mch 31, '03, 7th wd, McKpt, 62x80, River ave	3,300
Newbury S H to A W Mellon, July 21, '03, 37th wd, Pgh, 130x247, Perchmont ave	2,200
Munhall Valley Land Co to M Kerregan, May 30, '02, Mifflin twp, 25x110, Garfield ave	112
East Pgh Impt Co to J Taufenbach, June 15, '03, East Pgh, 25x114, Bessemer ave	933
Woodford Geo B to L Kuehneiser, July 24, '03, Baldwin twp, 60x142, Murray st	1,450
Hamilton Wm to A Goldstrohm, July 23, '03, N Versailles twp, 25x120, Ross st	1,600
Kline W J K to R H Cunningham, July 21, '03, N Versailles twp, 40x155, Penn ave	550
Martin M L to G A Zirckel, July 29, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 97x140, Murray ave	6,000
Trustees 6th P C ch to M L Martin, July 29, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 194x140, Murray ave	12,000
Campbell J G to J M Humes, July 29, '03, Tarentum, 32x72, Corbett st	2,100
Campbell J G to R A Travis, July 28, '03, Tarentum, 32x72, Corbett st	900
Siegrist Jas S to Wm B Hampson, July 14, '03, Wkbg, 25x122, Franklin st	3,650
Shaffer S G to C Hoffman, July 14, '03, 9th wd, McKpt, 25x100, Banker ave	1,600
Haslett E C to J M Poorbaugh, May 4, '03, Mifflin twp, 50x120, Homer ave	800
Fawcett W C to Wm Wain, Feb 21, '03, Mifflin twp, 100x110, Duquesne ave	2,100
Nesbet C A to M J Walsh, June 9, '03, 35th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Augusta st	400
Gallinger H C to P Klingler, July 27, '03, N Versailles twp, lot	250
Fifth Ave Bank to Eliza Baird, July 23, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 23x101, Lang ave	5,000
Shaw Julia to Emma McCrae, May 6, '03, 3d wd, McKpt, 30x82, High st	500
Thubron W J to Noah Hill, June 3, '03, 2d wd, Ally, 21x62, Yale st	1,200
Ritter Geo to F Zimmerman, July 20, '03, 2d wd, Ally, 24x60, Federal st	20,000
O'Neil E B to Wm Teets Jr, July 22, '03, Ben Avon, 55x133, Breading ave	1,700
Robson Thos to Jane Boot, Sept 30, '02, Munhall, 24x110, 17th ave	600

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 3.—Spirits turpentine steady, 49c. Rosin, nothing doing. Crude turpentine firm, $1 25; $3 25. Tar firm, $1 65.

SAVANNAH, GA., Aug. 3.—Turpentine firm, 49½c. Rosin firm, A, B, C, D, $1 55; E, $1 60; F, $1 65; G, $1 75; H, $2 20; I, $2 70; K, $2 85; M, $2 95; N, $3 05; W G, $3 30; W W, $3 40.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 3.—Turpentine nominal. Rosin steady.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The coffee market opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of five points under liquidation and ruled very quiet during the entire session at about the opening range of prices, closing inactive, net unchanged to five points lower. Sales were 1,500 bags, including September at 3.75c; December at 4.20c and May at 4.55c.

Condition of the Cotton Crop.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The monthly report of the chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture will show the average condition of cotton on July 25 to have been 79.7, as compared with 77.1 on June 25, 1903, 81.9 on July 25, 1902, 77.2 on July 25, 1901, and a ten year average of 84.3.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, August 1, as compiled by the New York produce exchange, was as follows: Wheat, 13,415,000 bushels, increase, 465,000 bushels; corn, 6,990,000 bushels, decrease, 321,000 bushels; oats, 6,485,000 bushels, increase, 256,000 bushels; rye, 658,000 bushels, increase, 24,000 bushels; barley, 348,000 bushels, decrease, 17,000 bushels.

LOWER PRICES FOR SPRING CHICKENS

Firm Flour Markets—Sugar Very Nervous—Creamery Butter Quotations Unchanged.

As was expected, a decline occurred yesterday in quotations for spring chickens, receipts of stock having shown some increase over the average for the past two weeks. The decrease in price is not very great, but it is a move in a direction which will be welcomed by consumers of fowls. Other descriptions of poultry remain unchanged.

Receipts of hay and grain were fairly heavy, but prices were allowed to remain without change, the market showing considerable activity for hay and corn, while oats were not in such large supply as to cause any further weakness in the situation. Buyers continue to take hold of new hay freely, and are purchasing liberal quantities at figures which are just about the same as those which ruled at the close of the week. Old hay continues scarce.

Few changes were made in prices for fruit and vegetables. Potatoes are steady at quotations of last Saturday. Red sweet potatoes are unchanged, while yellows are a little higher. Egg plant is in heavy supply and is lower. Corn, peas and beans are as last quoted. Tomatoes continue to come forward in large quantities, and the market is easy as quoted. Quite a number of currants were offered yesterday. They were of fine quality and brought 14 cents a quart. Tropical fruits were in light supply, except bananas, and quotations are the same as last reported.

The flour market is very strong, and mills have advanced prices ten cents a barrel. Local jobbers have withdrawn all concessions, and nearly all have put quotations forward. The great strength of the wheat situation is responsible for the firm flour market, for cash wheat is scarce, and high priced. Locally sugar is unchanged, but the market is nervous. Refiners have withdrawn a concession which has been allowed for several weeks, which virtually amounts to an advance and may affect selling figures here if raw sugars remain firm. Other groceries are unchanged.

No change was made in the price of creamery butter at Elgin yesterday, and Pittsburgh quotations are the same as last week, with the market fairly steady. Cheese is maintaining its hold on the range of prices which ruled last week. Eggs are unchanged and easy.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 56 cars hay, 12 cars straw, 2 cars hay and straw, 20 cars oats, 5 cars corn, 4 cars corn and oats, 4 cars feed; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 5 cars hay, 1 car straw, 6 cars oats; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 10 cars hay, 3 cars straw, 2 cars oats. Total receipts, 139 cars.

Hay, No. 1 timothy	$18.50@19.00	Rye, No. Mich	56½@57c
do No. 2	$16.50@17.50	White middlings, No. 2, ton	$20.50@21.00
No. 1 clov.	$12.00@13.00	do brown	$19.50@20.00
do mix.	$14.50@15.50	Bran, ton	$16.75@17.00
Loose from wagon	$18.00@19.00	Wheat, No. 2 red	70@71c
Straw, oat	$8.50@9.50	Corn.	
do wheat	$8.50@9.50	No. 2 yel. shell	59@60c
do rye	$11.00@11.50	High mix	57@58c
Oats, No. 2 white	40@41c	No. 2 mix	55@56c
do No. 3	39@40c	No. 2 yel. ear	59@61c
do No. 4	38@39c	High mix	57@58c

GROCERIES.

Flour.		Sugar, 5-lb cotton bags	5.25c
Fancy spg. p.	$4.75@4.85	do powdered	5.20c
Fancy win. pat.	$3.85	do pow'd xxxx	5.25c
Straight win.	$3.40@3.60	do cubes	5.25c
Bakers spr.	$3.40@3.60	do cut loaf	5.00c
Rye	$3.45@3.60	do coff. A	4.90@5.00c
Graham	$4.00@4.50	do No. 1 yellow	4.75c
Cornmeal, bbl.	$3.25	do No. 2 yellow	4.70c
do 10-lb cotton bags	18@19c	do No. 3 yellow	4.65c
Rolled oats, bbl.	$5.50	Beans.	
do kegs	$2.80	Marrow, bu.	$3.00@3.10
Roasted Coffee.		Navy, H. P.	$2.45@2.50
Rio	9½@12c	Navy, imp.	$2.35@2.40
Santos	22½@23½c	Red kidney	$3.40@3.50
Maracaibo	17@17½c	Cal. lima, lb.	5¼@5½c
Peaberry	17@18c	Peas, dried, bu.	$1.70@1.75
Golden Rio	13½@14c	do split, lb.	4c
Caracas	19@19½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg.	11c
Standard pkgs.	9.55c	do headlight	11¾c
High grade	14.30@16.30c	do water white	12c
Molasses, fancy refined	35@37c	do Ohio W. W. test 130 deg.	12c
do choice	32@35c	do miners	26@32c
do open ket.	40@43c	do Elaine	16c
Syrup.		do special brands	26@43c
Fancy sugar	28@30c	Rice, ex. fancy head, lb.	7½@7¾c
Sug. and cane	24@28c	do fancy Japan	5¾@6¼c
Prime	24@25c	do choice Carolina	6@6½c
2½-lb. cans, doz.	95c	Salt, No. 1, bbl.	$1.00
3-lb. cans, doz.	$1.15	do No. 1 extra	$1.10
5-lb. cans, doz.	$1.95	do gran. rock	85c
10-lb. cans, doz.	$3.60	do pocket	$1.65@1.95
Maple, gal.	75c@$1.00	do dairy	$1.25
Oatmeal, bbl.	$6.00		
do kegs	$3.15		
Sugar, sta. gran.	5.10c		
do bags	5.05c		
do 2-lb cartons	5.25c		

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std. pie	$1.10	Plums, damson	$1.00
do pie, gal.	$2.50@3.00	do California	$1.40
do California L. C.	$1.80@2.35	Raspberries	85@95c
do Maryland	$1.15@1.65	Gooseberries	85c@$1.00
do California Y. F.	$1.80@2.00	Tomatoes, standard	90@97½c
Corn, fancy	$1.25@1.45	do fancy	$1.20@1.30
do std.	$1.10@1.15	do gal.	$3.50@3.60
Cherries, Cal. white	$2.20@2.25	Succotash, 1-lb cans	65c@$1.40
Lima beans	$1.25@1.40	Baked beans, cans, tomato sc.	90c@$1.40
do soaked	75@80c	Salmon, doz.	85c@$2.05
String beans, 2-lb	65c	Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
do 2-lb	95c	Corned and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.35@2.40
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75	do 1-lb cans	$1.30@1.35
Peas, marrowfat	95c@$1.05	Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
do early June	$1.00@1.20	Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.50@3.65
do soaked	55@65c	do mustards, ¾s	$2.75
Apples, N. Y., gal cans	$2.20@2.25	do French	$9.00@15.75
Pineapples	$1.00@2.20		

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap. bags	7½@11c	Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes	7@8c
do 25-lb boxes	8½@11½c	do Ondara Val	9¾@10c
Apples, bulk	6½@7½c	do Cal. Val	7½c
do 1-lb cartons	7½@8½c	Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50 lb pkgs.	6¾@7c
Peaches	7@10c	Prunes	3½@10½c
Raspberries	26@27½c		
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs.	9¼@10½c		

FEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small	$8.00@8.10	Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00
do mammoth	$8.10@8.20	Millet	$1.25@1.50
do crimson	$4.75@5.00	Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.10
do white Dutch	$19.00@20.00	do lawn, lb.	18@20c
Alsike	$8.75@9.00	do blue, 14-lb bu.	$1.50@1.75
		do red top, 14-lb bu.	$1.10@2.00
		Timothy	$1.65@1.75

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl.	$30.00	Mackerel, No. 2, bbls.	$18.00
do half bbls.	$15.50	do half bbls.	$9.50
do quar. bbls.	$8.00	do quar. bbls.	$5.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbls.	$26.00	do 20-lb pails	$2.25
do half bbls.	$13.50	do 10-lb pails	$1.15
do quar. bbls.	$6.75	Lake herring, 100 lbs.	$3.75
do 20-lb pails	$2.75	do 20-lb quar.	$1.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.45	do 10 lb.	63c

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, fancy, bbl.	$2.50@4.00	Watermelons, each	18@25c
do bu bkt.	$1.25@1.50	Blackberries	6@8c
do Cal., box	$1.40	Huckleberries	9@10c
Cherries	10@12c	Raspberries, black	12½@13c
Peaches, Ga.	$2.50@2.75	do red	16@17c
Cantaloupes, crate	$1.00@2.75	Currants	12@15c
do basket	40@60c	Gooseberries	6@8c
Grapes	$3.00@3.50		

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, Louisville	$2.00@2.25	do bu. bkt.	$1.50@1.75
do N. J.	$2.25@2.50	Carrots, doz bunches	25c
do home, bu.	70@75c	String beans, bu.	75c@$1.00
Sweets, red	$4.00	Cauliflower, doz.	$2.00@2.25
do yellow	$5.00	Rhubarb, doz.	20@25c
Onions, bbl.	$2.50@2.75	Watercress, doz.	15@20c
do hamp.	90c@$1.00	Tomatoes, Tenn., 4-basket carrier	40@50c
do home, bu.	$1.00	do Jersey, bu.	75@90c
do new, doz.	15@20c	do home, bu.	$1.75@2.00
Cucumbers, hothouse	50@60c	Brussels sprouts, quart	12@14c
do hamp.	$1.00@1.25	Mushrooms, lb.	30@40c
do home grown, bu.	$1.75@2.00	Peppers, green, crate	$1.75@2.25
Cabbage, new, bbls.	$1.50@1.75	Peas, bu.	$1.75@2.00
Beets, doz.	20c	Squash, crate	$1.25@1.50
Parsley, doz.	10@15c	do home, bu.	$1.25@1.50
Radishes, doz.	20c	Corn, doz.	20@25c
Spinach, bu.	75c@$1.00	do home, bu.	$2.00@2.25
Celery, Kalamazoo	15@25c	Pumpkins	$1.00@1.25
do Ohio	30@35c		
Kale, bu.	25@30c		
Lettuce, home, doz.	65@75c		
Garlic, lb.	7@10c		
Egg plant, dz.	$1.00@1.25		
do crates	$2.00@2.25		

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina	$4.50@5.00	Bananas, 1sts	$1.25@1.50
do California	$3.00@3.50	do 2ds	75c@$1.00
Limes, per 100	$1.00	Grape fruit, California	$3.00@4.00
Oranges, California, Val	$3.75@4.00	Pineapples, crate	$4.00@4.50
do California seedlings	$2.25@2.75	Plums, California, box	$1.50@1.90
Cocoanuts, bags	$2.50	Pears, California, box	$2.25@2.50
Peaches, Calif., box	$1.50@1.75		

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.		Cheese, Ohio Swiss, tubs	13@13½c
Prints	21¼@22c	do Wis. Swiss, tubs	14@14½c
Tubs	21@21½c	do 20-lb block Swiss, new	14@14½c
Ohio cream	18½@19c	do limberger	10½@11c
Dairy	16@17c	Eggs at mark	16@16½c
Country roll	15@16c	do candled	17@18c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream	11@12c		
do Ohio	10@11c		
do ¾ crm.	9½@9¾c		

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb.	14@15c	Roosters	13@14c
Live spring	15@16c	Turkeys, fresh dressed	20c
Roosters	8@10c	do frozen	21@23c
Turkeys	10@11c	Ducks	18c
Geese	8@10c	do spring	18@20c
Ducks	11@12c	Capon, lb.	23c
Dressed hens	17@18c	L. I. ducks	21c
Dressed springs	18@20c		
Roasters	18c		

PROVISIONS.

Hams.		Breakfast bacon, back strips	12½c
16 lbs and up	13¾c	Dry salt sides, extra short clears	9¾c
Over 14 to 16 lbs.	13½c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs.	16c
Over 10 to 14 lbs.	14¼c	do 16 to 20 lbs.	10¼c
10 lbs and under	14½c	do under 16 lbs.	10¾c
Skinned	15c	Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	10¾c
Boneless boiled	20½c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs.	11c
California	9c	do 16 to 20 lbs.	11¼c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	9½c	do under 16 lbs.	11½c
do skinned	10½c	Lard, pure, tierces	8¼c
Breakfast bacon, ribs, 8 to 10 lbs.	13½c		
do 10 to 12 lbs.	13c		
do back strips	12½c		
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs.	14c		
do 10 to 12 lbs.	13¾c		

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $4,028,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,338,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $687,000 paid by government to banks.

GRAIN SOLD LOWER IN CHICAGO MARKET

Gains Made in the Early Part of the Session Were Lost Before Close.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 3. — Wheat prices were rather erratic, good advances being made early in the day, but during the last half of the session all the gain was lost. The opening was firm on a sharp advance at Paris and on further rains in the northwest, September being ⅛c lower to ¼c higher, at 80⅛ to 80⅜c. on generally bullish news and a good demand developed from speculators and shorts, and under this influence the market became quite strong, selling up to 80¾c. Later in the day there was a heavy selling pressure due to a sharp falling off in prices at Minneapolis and prices here broke severely, September declining to 79⅜c. The close was weak and near the bottom, September being off ⅜c at 79½c. Primary receipts were 742,500 bushels, against 1,396,400 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 707 cars, which with local receipts of 115 cars—20 of contract grade—made total receipts for the three points of 822 cars, against 256 cars last week, and 573 cars a year ago.

Commission houses were free sellers of corn throughout the day and lower prices ruled, although the early strength in wheat held prices fairly well the first part of the day, but later with the break in that grain the market became extremely weak. A feature in trading was the selling of September by elevator people, which was in line with reports of freer offerings of cash corn from Iowa and Nebraska. The weather was also a bear factor. After ranging between 51⅞ and 52¾c, September closed ⅞c lower at 51⅜c. Local receipts were 149 cars, with 22 cars of contract grade.

There was little feature in trading oats and prices were inclined to follow other grains, the early strength in wheat being a supporting factor during the first part of the session, but later offerings became more liberal and the market eased off. September closed with a loss of ¼c at 34⅛@34¼c, after selling between 33⅞ and 34¼c. Local receipts were 212 cars.

Provisions ruled quiet and prices were lower early in the session, with very little demand, the increased stock of lard being a bear feature. Buying by local traders later caused a slight rally and the close was about steady, September pork being 5c higher at $12.75, September lard was off 2½c at $7.82½, while ribs were up 7½c at $8.15.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 180 cars; corn, 310 cars; oats, 460 cars; hogs, 17,000 head.

The leading futures reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2					
Sep. o	80⅛	80¾	79⅜	79½	80⅛
Sep. n	80⅝	80⅞	79⅝	79⅝	80⅛
Dec. n	80⅞	81⅛	80⅛	80⅛	80⅜
May	82⅝	83⅛	82⅛	82¼	82⅜
CORN, No. 2					
Sept.	52⅜	52⅜	51⅜	51⅜	52¼
Dec.	52¼	52⅜	51⅜	51⅜	52
May	52⅝	52⅝	51⅝	52	52⅝
OATS, No. 2					
Sept.	34¼	34¼	33⅞	34	34¼
Dec.	34⅞	34⅞	34⅛	34⅜	34⅜
May	36½	36⅝	36⅛	36⅜	36⅝
MESS PORK					
Sept.	12 60	12 75	12 40	12 75	12 70
LARD.					
Sept.	7 85	7 92½	7 85	7 82½	7 85
Oct.	7 70	7 72½	7 65	7 72½	7 77½
SHORT RIBS.					
Sept.	8 00	8 15	8 00	8 15	8 07½
Oct.	7 92½	7 95	7 90	7 95	7 87½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 80@84c; No. 3, 76@80c; No. 2 red, 78⅞@79½c; No. 2 corn, 51¾c; No. 2 yellow, 52¼c; No. 2 oats, 33½@33¾c; No. 3 white, 35@35½c; No. 3 white, 34@35½c; No. 2 rye, 50½c; good feeding barley, 33@40c; fair to choice malting, 47@50c; No. 1 flaxseed, 93c; No. 1 northwestern, 97c; prime timothy seed, $3.30; mess pork, $12.50@12.60; lard, $7.70@7.75; short rib sides (loose), $7.75@8.00; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $7.30@7.62½; short clear sides (boxed), $8.25@8.37; whisky, basis of high wines, $1.30; clover, contract grade, $12.00@12.25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	10,400	14,000
Wheat, bu.	78,000	69,300
Corn, bu.	17,300	129,400
Oats, bu.	68,500	43,400
Rye, bu.	4,800	....
Barley, bu.	17,800	4,800

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Flour—Receipts, 16,867 barrels; exports, 10,773 barrels. Opened firm, but became less active after the wheat reactions. Rye flour easy. Cornmeal quiet. Rye quiet; No. 2 western, 59½c f. o. b. afloat. Barley dull. Wheat—Receipts, 103,650 bushels; exports, 43,324 bushels. Spot easy; No. 2 red, 83½c elevator; No. 2 red, 84¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 96½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 96¼c f. o. b. afloat.

Through the forenoon wheat acted firm and was higher on continued adverse crop news from the northwest. With the increase in visible supply figures, however, realizing developed and after midday bulls lost ground, the close being rather weak at ⅛c net decline. May, 86⅝@87¼c, closed 86⅝c; September, 84 7-16@85⅛c, closed 84⅝c; December, 85 1-16@85⅝c, closed 85⅛c.

Corn—Receipts, 66,700 bushels; exports, 72,359 bushels. Spot steady; No. 2, 55½c elevator and 59c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 59c; No. 2 white, 59c. Option market opened steady, but soon eased off and was weak all day under liquidation, inspired by improved weather, closing ⅜@⅝c net lower. September, 57⅜@58⅛c, closed 58c; December, 58⅜@58⅝c, closed 58c.

Oats—Receipts, 39,000 bushels; spot easy; No. 2, 38c; standard white, 41c; No. 3, 37¼c; No. 2 white, 41½c; No. 3 white, 40½c; track white, 39@46c. Hay quiet. Hops firm.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red cash, elevator, 80½c; track, 80½c; September, 75⅞@75⅜c; December, 82c; May, 84¼c; No. 2 red, 75@77c. Corn firm, No. 2 cash, 49½c; September, 49¼c; December, 48⅜c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 32c; September, 32⅛c; December, 33⅛c; No. 2 white, 39½c.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Aug. 3.—Wheat firm; No. 1 northern, 89@90c; No. 2 northern, 88c; new September, 79⅜c bid. Rye dull; No. 1, 51½@52c. Barley steady; No. 2, 56@60c; sample, 39@55c. Corn steady; September, 51¼c.

DULUTH, MINN., Aug. 3.—Wheat, to arrive—No. 1 hard, 86⅛c; No. 1 northern, 86¼c; No. 2 northern, 84¼c; September, 81⅛c.

In the Oil Fields

After a run of light pumpers and dry holes, Ritchie county comes to the front with a fairly good gusher. The well is owned by the Hudson Oil Company and is north of Cairo in the Keener sand development. When drilled into the pay Saturday evening the well began to flow at the rate of 500 barrels a day and is holding up very creditably. It is this company's No. 22 in the Harkniss tract and aside from its size is not important, as it is located inside of defined limits and in the vicinity of good producers drilled in some months ago by the same company.

Northeast of the old Whisky Run pool in the same county Mallory Brothers & Stewart have drilled their second test on the Calvin Butcher farm through the Keener and have a duster.

In the Big Knot Run district the Three Joes Oil Company has drilled its No. 4 on the M. L. Girrell farm into the Keener and has a show for a 10 barrel pumper.

Two miles west of Weston, Lewis county, the Reserve Gas Company has made a discovery that is attracting some attention. This well is on the J. P. and S. Snyder farm, and when drilled into the fourth sand began to show oil and filled up 1,000 feet. It is thought that it will make a 15 or 20 barrel pumper. The oil is dark green. The well will be put to pumping and tested, and if it proves a failure will be drilled to the lower sands. This is the first test in this locality to show oil in any quantity in any of the regular sands.

The South Penn Oil Company has completed No. 20 on the J. B. Duhurst farm and will have a 15 barrel pumper.

In the Meade district, near Hebron, Tyler county, Stiles Brothers & Company have completed their test on the Charles Ashorn farm and have a show for a 10 barrel pumper in the Big Injun.

In the same district the South Penn Oil Company has drilled in its No. 6 on the Mary J. Fairfax farm and has a show for a 25 or 30 barrel producer in the Big Injun.

Duff & Root have drilled in their test on the Owens heirs' farm and have a show for a 50 barrel producer in the same formation.

Hennig & Ehrig have drilled their No. 4 on the W. H. H. Wheaton farm in the Burning Springs district in Wirt county in the second Cow Run sand and at a depth of 390 feet have a small pumper.

In the Salem district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its second test on the Omer E. Hall farm and has a 30 barrel producer in the Gordon.

In the Folsom district the South Penn has completed the following wells in the Gordon and the estimated production of each appended: No. 3, W. B. Starkey, 25 barrels; No. 3, McIntyre-Peterson, 40 barrels; No. 48, Robinson tract, 3 barrels, and No. 54, H. L. Smith, 20 barrels a day.

The first effort to extend the producing area of the new Keener sand development northwest of Woodsfield, Munroe county, O., has resulted in a failure. The Unity Oil Company has drilled its test on the Daniel Simpert farm through the Keener and has a duster. The location of this test is 2,000 feet northwest of the Southern Oil Company's good producers on the Sylvester Kohn farm, drilled in last month, which caused quite a stir in that quarter. It is quite certain that an extension does not exist to the northwest, and if one is found it will be in some other direction. The Mars Drilling Company is starting a test on the G. W. Brubach farm in the same locality.

In the Benwood district H. E. Devaul & Company have completed No. 5 on the William King farm and have a duster in all sands, including the Berea grit. Drilling was discontinued at a depth of 2,110 feet.

In the Chester Hill district, Morgan county, the Ohio & Indiana Oil Company has completed its No. 2 on the W. W. Starling farm and has a duster in the shallow sand.

In the new development south of Burgettstown, Washington county, Pa., R. G. Gillespie has made the best strike recorded in that territory. He drilled in his second test on the William Bussell farm last Saturday and the well is producing 35 barrels a day natural. It is thought it will make a 50 or 75 barrel producer when shot.

In the same district Cooper & Kelly Brothers have drilled their test on the L. R. Scott farm through the sand and have a duster.

In the Darlington development in Beaver county, Wallace & Company have completed a second test on the McMahon farm and have a duster.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields up to and including August 2:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Aug. 1 and 2	193,873	July 31	119,180
		Previously	2,332,463
		Total	2,451,643
		Daily average	79,086

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Aug. 1 and 2	107,082	July 31	99,120
		Previously	1,749,330
		Total	1,848,450
		Daily average	59,628

The Oil Market.

OIL CITY, PA., Aug. 3.—Credit balances, $1 56; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 193,873 barrels; average, 96,936 barrels. Runs, July 31, 119,180; daily average July, 79,086; shipments, Lima, 107,082; average, 53,526. Runs, Lima, July 31, 99,120; daily average, July, 59,627.

Call Money Easy.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Money on call easy at 1½@2 per cent, closing 1¾@2 per cent. Time money easy; 60 days, 4 per cent; 90 days, 4½ per cent; six months, 5¼@5½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85.80 for demand and at $4 83.50 for 60 day bills. Posted rates, $4 84½@4 87. Commercial bills, $4 83¼. Bar silver, 54⅝c. Mexican dollars, 42½c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

The Drygood Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The drygoods market shows a slight improvement in jobbing circles, due to the presence of a larger number of buyers. Orders are being restricted and buyers are refusing to contract for the future. Where goods are needed for immediate delivery asking prices are being paid without demur.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CENTRAL LIVE STOCK YARDS,
Monday, Aug. 3, 1903.

	Cattle	Hogs.	Sheep
J. B. Huff & Co.	15	7	4
S. B. Hedges & Co.	20	5	4
McCall, Rowlen & Newburn	60	12	9
W. & B. Brinkman	34	7	6
L. Dyer & Co.	26	8	9
F. M. Lafferty & Co.	4	2	1
McCaully	2	....	....
I. Ziegler	2	....	....
J. Needy & Co.	28	7	2
M. Hoffman	4	....	....
L. Lowenstein & Co.	10	2	....
F. A. Schmitz & Bro.	11	....	....
B. S. Trauerman & Bro.	1	....	....
Ohio Live Stock Co.	7	....	....
Frohm	1	....	....
Totals	225	50	35
Last week	150	65	33

SHIPMENTS.

	New York.			Philadel'a.			Locals.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	6	15	6	22	2	11	23	16	1
Tuesday	3	25	3	9	4	10	70	11	9
Wednesday	2	3	3	35	2	3	13	10	1
Thursday	3	7	10	24	4	5	16	7	3
Friday	..	6	2	28	2	3	15	5	2
Sat. & Sun.	5	12	27	28	5	4	33	8	1
Totals	19	69	51	146	19	36	170	57	17
Last week	37	84	54	81	20	29	145	57	31

SALES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday	3,480	8,284	8,697
Tuesday	14	1,052	904
Wednesday	1	762	728
Thursday	....	1,546	1,522
Friday	11	1,343	683
Saturday	32	1,891	457
Totals	3,534	14,628	12,991
Last week	2,808	14,226	11,122

FREIGHT RATES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
Boston	17	18	18	40
New York	17	18	18	30
Philadelphia	15	16	16	28
Baltimore	14	15	15	27

Cattle.

The advocates of higher prices for beef were somewhat dismayed this morning by the heavy receipts, 225 carloads reaching the East Liberty yards, the greatest number for a long time. In consequence quotations for common and medium grades, which made up the greater portion of the arrivals, were much lower, while good cattle suffered a slight decline.

Choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs, $5 20@5 35; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs, $5 00@5 15; good, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, $4 70@4 80; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $4 20@4 50; heifers, 700 to 1,000 lbs, $3 50@4 50; bulls and cows, $2 00@4 00; fresh cows and springers, $25 00@50 00.

Hogs.

Receipts of hogs were not so heavy as those of last Monday, but there were enough and to spare, quotations showing a decline for all grades, except light weights, which just about held their own. The market for the latter was fairly active.

Prime heavy hogs, $5 40; medium, $5 60@5 75; heavy Yorkers, $5 75@5 80; light Yorkers, $6 00@6 15; pigs, $6 10@6 15; roughs, $4 00@5 00.

Sheep and Lambs.

Arrivals of sheep and lambs were a little more numerous than they were a week ago, and the market was dull, at lower figures. The decline in prices for sheep was quite considerable, the difference in lamb quotations being less marked.

Best wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $4 10@4 25; good mixed, 85 to 95 lbs, $3 85@4 00; fair, 75 to 80 lbs, $3 40@3 70; yearlings, $3 00@4 50; spring lambs, $5 50@5 60; veal calves, $6 50@7 00; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,400 natives; 2,100 Texans; calves, 400 natives; 200 Texans. Corn fed cattle steady to 10c higher; quarantine 10 to 15c higher; cows steady to 10c higher; stockers and feeders lower; bulls slow; calves strong. Choice export and beef steers dressed, $4 70@5 30; fair to good, $3 40@3 70; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 35; western fed steers, $3 00@4 50; Texas and Indian steers, $2 50@4 20; Texas cows, $2 15@3 20; native cows, $1 50@4 00; native heifers, $2 00@4 50; canners, $1 15@2 45; bulls, $1 00@3 75; calves, $2 50@5 40. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000 head; market strong to 10c higher. Top, $5 35; bulk of sales, $5 05@5 20; heavy, $5 05@5 12½; mixed packers, $5 05@5 25; light, $5 25@5 30; Yorkers, $5 27½@5 30; pigs, $5 00@5 35. Sheep—Receipts, 3,250 head; market steady; native lambs, $3 00@[illegible]; western lambs, $2 90@5 40; fed ewes, $2 80@4 75; Texas clipped yearlings, $2 90@3 20; Texas clipped sheep, $2 65@4 50; stockers and feeders, $2 50@3 55.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 23,000 head; market steady; 10c higher. Texans, 1,000 head; western, 2,000 head. Good to prime steers, $5 20@5 65; poor to medium, $3 75@5 00; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 35; cows, $1 50@4 50; heifers, $2 00@4 60; canners, $1 50@2 75; bulls, $2 00@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 00; Texas fed steers, $3 00@4 50; western steers, $4 20@4 25. Hogs—Receipts, 35,000 head; tomorrow, 20,000 head; left over, 4,000 head. Market strong to 10c higher. Mixed and butchers, $4 90@5 45; good to choice, heavy, $5 15@5 35; rough heavy, $4 50@5 10; light, $5 20@5 65; bulk of sales, $5 00@5 25. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000 head; sheep steady; lambs steady to 10c higher. Good to choice wethers, $3 60@4 00; fair to choice mixed, $2 75@3 50; native lambs, $3 25@6 25.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,612 head. Steers slow, but closed steady; bulls and cows steady to 15c lower; steers, $4 50@5 50; bulls, $2 50@3 90; cows, $1 50@3 90. Cables quoted live cattle lower at 11½@12c; tops, 12½c per pound dressed weight; sheep selling at 11@12½c dressed weight. Calves—Receipts, 4,708 head. Veals opened steady to 25c lower; closed 25@50c lower; western and buttermilks, 25@50c off; veals, $5 00@8 00; culls, $4 00@4 50; westerns, $4 00@5 50; buttermilks and grassers, $3 50@4 00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 19,196. Sheep very dull; heavy sheep almost unsalable; lambs, 15@25c lower; common lambs, 25@50c off. Sheep, $2 50@3 50; wethers, $3 75; culls, $2 00; lambs, $4 50@6 30; two cars early, $6 37½@6 40. Hogs—Receipts, 7,069 head; market slow. State and Pennsylvania hogs, $6 00@6 15; light, do, $6 30.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Butter—Receipts, 10,373 pkgs. Steady to firm. State dairy, 14@17½c; extra creamery, 19c; renovated, 13@17c; creamery, common to choice, 15@18½c. Eggs—Receipts, 7,158 cases; firm. State and Pennsylvania extras, 20c; State and Pennsylvanit seconds to firsts, 16@18c; western extras, 19c; western seconds to firsts, 15@18c. Cheese—Receipts, 6,747 pkgs; firm. Small colored and white, 10½c; large colored and white, 10c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Butter steady. Creamery, 14@18½c; dairy, 12½@17c. Eggs steady at mark, cases included, 11@12c. Cheese steady, 10[illegible]c.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3—Butter steady, fair demand; extra western creamery, 19½c; nearby prints, 22c. Eggs firm, good demand; fresh nearby, 18½c, loss off; western, 18½c; southwestern, 16@17c; southern, 15½@16c. Cheese steady, fair demand. New York full creams, choice, new, 10¼@10½c; fair to good new, 9½@10c.

ELGIN, ILL., Aug. 3.—Butter ruled firm on the board of trade today, selling at 18½c a pound. Sales for the week were 798,000 pounds.

Philadelphia Bank Statement.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3 — Weekly bank statement: Loans and discounts, $1,708,000 decrease; lawful money reserve, $1,568,000 decrease; due from other banks, $253,000 decrease; due to other banks, $253,000 decrease; deposits, $3,197,000 decrease; circulation, $20,000 increase.

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Popularity of President Roosevelt in New York State Considered Wonderful.

NO FEAR FOR HIM NEXT YEAR

Church Element Believes in Him and the Younger Voters Have Him for Their Hero—Labor Question May Prove Bothersome.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 3.—President Roosevelt is one of the few New Yorkers who are not worrying about how the state of New York will go in the presidential election next year. Efforts have been made to frighten him over the outlook. Efforts have been made to convince him that he will have a walkover. At this time he is neither discouraged nor over-confident. His position is rather that of a philosopher. He is doing his best to give a good government and treat all men fairly and is inclined to rest on that. He has declined to "play politics" either in the city or the state.

One element in the party has been telling the president that he had better leave New York out of his calculations next year. Another element—Titus S. Heard was the latest representative of that class to be heard from—has informed him that he will surely pull through, but by quite as small a majority as Gov. Odell had in 1902. There is another school of Republican politicians who have a warm admiration for the president, and confidence in his star, who are convinced that the next campaign is settled so far as the Empire state is concerned, and that the majority for the president up the state will be large enough to swamp the Democratic majority in New York city, even though it be twice the 122,000 it gave against Odell.

A conservative member of congress from New York, who is also affiliated with the Platt machine, has recently made exhaustive inquiries throughout the state as to the Roosevelt sentiment. It can be stated that the Republican in question was not an original Roosevelt man, of which there are such numbers now, and his reports have always been relied on implicitly by Senator Platt and Gov. Odell, when they were trying to find out how the state was going. He has always been right in gauging the public sentiment.

The report that this Republican has made is that the popularity of President Roosevelt throughout the state, particularly among the rural voters and in the villages, surpassed anything he ever noted before. The church element of all denominations believe in him and the young men of all classes idolize him.

The president has been told that his action in forcing the reinstatement of Foreman Miller in the book bindery of the government at Washington, because he had been illegally discharged, may hurt him with the labor unions. The president will not discuss the political effect of his action with anyone. He evidently did not consider it in its political aspect when he acted, because he had been warned that it might cost him votes.

Baron Speck von Sternberg, the newly created German ambassador, has an engagement with the president on Friday to present his credentials. The baron will be accompanied only by one of the secretaries. He will be the first ambassador who ever presented his credentials to a president of the United States outside the White House. The new German ambassador is desirous of being received so that he can at once enter on his new duties. As he and the president are excellent friends it is not unlikely that he will remain at Sagamore Hill for the day.

TWO MAGNATES RETURN.

J. P. Morgan and Judge E. H. Gary of Steel Corporation Again at Their Desks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—J. P. Morgan returned to this city today after a cruise in his yacht in New England waters. The financier was busy at his office this afternoon, holding the usual conference with his partners.

E. H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation, arrived at his office today from a trip to Chicago and other western points. He refused to talk about steel matters and management.

Changes are said to be in contemplation in the management of the United States Steel Corporation which are expected to result in Henry C. Frick assuming the chairmanship of an important committee.

STRIKES IN SPAIN

General Move to Demand Release of Imprisoned Workmen.

MADRID, Aug. 3.—The threatened general strike commenced today in Barcelona, Murcia, Cadiz, Ronde and Alcoy. The general unrest is largely attributed to bad harvests, but the immediate motive for the strike is to reinforce the demand for the release of numerous workmen who have been thrown into prison for offenses in connection with recent strikes.

A man was arrested at Barcelona today for carrying dynamite cartridges which he confessed he intended to throw in a crowded part of the city. He also admitted that he was an anarchist and the son of Barrera, who was arrested in 1890 for throwing bombs.

EXPECTS TO PRODUCE GOLD FROM SLATE

MERLIN, ORE., Aug. 3.—L. LeRix, chemist and metallurgist, has made silver from gold and developed a new metal from slate from which he expects to produce gold. From his notes, which were scanned by the government inspectors, it seems he has developed a new metal from commercial slate, abundant here, which has an affinity for the atom of gold and silver which he calls "rixum." The theory he has been working on is the disintegration of the atom into unitions to the silver atom.

Water Famine Threatens Homestead.

Homestead is threatened with another water famine. The water works pumps have been in bad condition for many months and recently, difficulty has been experienced in supplying sufficient water in the borough. Experts are now at work on the pumps.

CABLE BRIEFS.

CONSTANTINOPLE—A conflagration has devastated the town of Armenak in the valley of Adana, Asia Minor. The mosque, the other public buildings, 400 shops and 60 houses were destroyed.

SANTO DOMINGO CITY—The new government has been installed. The country is quiet and business is increasing. The government intends to favor agricultural enterprises.

PARIS—The funeral of Lieut. Col. Almon F. Rockwell, United States army, retired, whose death here was announced Saturday, took place at the American Episcopal church. The body was afterwards cremated at the cemetery of Pere La Chaise.

Give Your Family a Vacation.

The Pennsylvania railroad will sell, each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday during August, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to all Chautauqua lake points and return, at rate of $6.00.

Each Tuesday, during August and September, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, $7.45, and to Toronto and return, $8.90.

Trains leave Union station at 9 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time. Pullman service on all through trains. Chautauqua lake sleeping car on 11 p. m. train.

Remember the Date of the $5.00 Excursion to Niagara Falls and Return, Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Saturday, August 15th.

Trains leave Union station, Pittsburgh, at 9 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time. Tickets good five days returning. Standard day coaches and Pullman cars on both trains. Secure your Pullman space in advance.

Their Matrimonial Sea Is Ruffled

MR. AND MRS. ELLIOTT F. SHEPARD, JR.

The marital troubles of Elliott F. Shepard, Jr., grandson of William H. Vanderbilt, and his plebeian wife, are again to the fore. Mrs. Shepard was Esther Potter (nee Wiggins), daughter of a well-known Long Island merchant at Green point. The reconcilation thought to have been effected between the couple by the Duchess of Marlborough, has been followed by differences of even a more serious nature. Extraordinary efforts have been made by both the Vanderbilt and Shepard families, as well as the attorneys for both sides, to maintain secrecy as to the latest developments in the rumored differences of the Shepards.

WIFE WHEN DESERTED OBEYS HUSBAND'S WILL

Pathetic Story of an Elopement of a Noted Belgium Sculptor Who Thought He Had Found Better Suited Helpmate.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Aug. 4.

Alois G. Buyens, a sculptor, has closed his studio at No. 92 Fifth avenue and left his wife and children in their home at No. 243 West One Hundred and Seventh street. In a letter he addressed to to his wife he announces that he has deserted her and gone away with Marie Praet, less than half his age, formerly a companion of his wife. He wrote that they were going to St. Louis to make their home there; that he was led to make this move because the younger woman was in sympathy with his work, knew him better and that he liked her more. Never would he leave her, he wrote.

Buyens, who is 58 years old came to this country 10 years ago to exhibit his work at the Chicago World's Fair. The Tiffany Company engaged him as a sculptor in marble. His reputation in Begium was established by his figure "Mirth and Music," ordered by King Leopod for the National theater. The girl came to this country from Belgium three years ago.

When Mrs. Buyens was asked if she would have her husband arrested or prosecuted for deserting her, she said:

"I will not do anything. I will not try to bring him back. You see, his letter says that she is his true mate—that she is so intutively appreciative of all that he does, of all that he is trying to do, and her words help him so much.

"He thought," she continued, stepping to the window and drawing down the curtain so that the light was mellowed on a portrait of herself that the artist had done, "that I didn't understand. He thought that I was dull. But I did understand.

"But I shall not do anything to mar his life. I know his artistic work is dearer to him than anything. I am old—the other woman is young. She has ready words for him, and he is sure she understands. He thinks her, too, great in talent. He must not be judged by other men. I have my children, and they know that I understand them."

KILLED COW TO GET MONEY SHE SWALLOWED

AKRON, O., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—While working on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad at Macedonia today Contractor Frank Vies hung his vest on a fence. In one pocket was a purse containing $85. A wandering cow of depraved appetite spied it and ate vest and contents. Vies discovered the cow in the act, purchased her for $50 and sold her to a local butcher for $25. The cow was slaughtered and the $85 recovered.

MAY LOSE OTHER ARM.

Edison Employe in a Sad Plight as Result of X-Ray Experimental Work.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Charles Daily, an employe at Edison's laboratory, who because of experiments with the X-ray about a year ago had his right arm amputated, is now in immediate danger of losing his left arm. Four fingers of the hand have already been taken off. It was Daily's duty to make the glass tubes for X-ray instruments, and he was constantly holding his hand up to the light and permitting the rays to pass through.

Mr. Edison himself has had trouble with his eye, owing to too much experimenting with the mysterious X-ray, and has promised Mrs. Edison that he will have nothing to do with radium, which he considers to be of the same nature.

Bunco Man Working Veterans.

The federal authorities are looking for a slick bunco man, who is reported to be working a fresh scheme among the veterans of the civil war. The man has been traced through Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey and Pennsylvania. A letter has been mailed all G. A. R. posts in which the veterans are notified to be on the lookout for the man. Warrants have been issued for his arrest at Baltimore and Philadelphia, on a charge of representing himself as a government officer.

ORPHANS FAILED TO DRAW THE LOT

Although the little inmates of St. Paul's orphan asylum held 1,600 tickets in the lottery for a lot in the Keating West View plan, not one of them will become a landed proprietor just yet. The tickets were purchased at the orphan's picnic in Calhoun park recently by Bishop Richard Phelan and others interested in the little ones. The numbers of these tickets began with 11,000, and the winning number was 5,783. The drawing took place yesterday afternoon in the Lyceum, in Washington street. The holder of the lucky ticket can get the deed for the lot by applying to the Rev. M. Lynch at the orphan asylum.

BOY KILLED HIS BROTHER.

Gun Accidentally Discharged in Scuffle—Lad Hid Dead Body in Weeds.

DUSHMORE, Pa., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Ten-year-old Harry Tubbs, of near Slevenson, shot and killed his eight-year-od brother Fred during a scuffle for a gun, and hid the lad's body in the weeds 50 yards back of the house. He then tried to scrub the blood off the floor. These precautions he took in the hope that his mother, who was away on a berrying expedition, would not discover that he had meddled with the gun, which she had told him to leave alone.

After hiding his brother's body, Harry went to the nearest neighbors and told them he guessed Fred had gone away. A bloody trail from the house led to the patch of weeds in which the corpse lay. The boy's face had been shot away. Then Harry broke down and said that the gun had been accidentally discharged.

WILL JOIN PITTSBURGH.

Sharon and New Castle Workmen in Pittsburgh's Labor Day Parade.

The New Castle and Sharon Trades and Labor assemblies have notified Secretary William J. Kelly of the Labor day celebration committee, that they will participate in the Pittsburgh celebration on September 7. The members of these trades have formerly held Labor day celebrations at Sharon.

The labor unions of New Castle, Youngstown and Sharon intended having a joint celebration this year, but Youngstown withdrew recently. This action caused the other two cities to abandon the plan also. A committee has been appointed to arrange to take part in the Pittsburgh demonstration.

MAYOR OF ALLEGHENY DENIES TWO RUMORS

Mayor Wyman of Allegheny was at his office yesterday morning after spending two weeks with his family at Atlantic City. The mayor denied that he was not on the most pleasant terms with every member of his cabinet, and declared that John R. Murphy was not coming back to take a position under him.

THIRTY KILLED AND FIFTY HURT IN WRECK

BERLIN, Aug. 3.—On the railway between Sucha and Kalvaria, Austrian Silesia, a train loaded with stones broke away and ran at a terrible speed down a sharp grade for 20 miles until it collided with a passenger train. Thirty persons are said to have been killed and 52 others severely injured.

Escaping Gas Caused Explosion.

Robert Smith, colored, had a narrow escape from being burned to death by exploding gas in the cellar of the Palace hotel, Braddock, yesterday afternoon. Smith is the porter and went to the ice box in the cellar with a burning torch. There was escaping gas some where, an explosion resulted, which blew Smith a considerable distance. The fire department had to be called to extinguish the fire.

Bell Boy Killed by Elevator.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 3.—Robert Turner, colored, aged 20, was instantly killed this afternoon by being caught in the elevator at the Lochiel hotel.

HIS SOLUTION OF DRINK PROBLEM

Commander Booth Tucker Tells How His Army Battles With Intemperance.

WORK FOR ALL, HIS THEME

In a Short Talk at Chautauqua He Outlined the Causes of Drunkenness as He Finds Them in the Slums—Good Being Accomplished.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y. Aug. 3.—Commander Booth Tucker of the Salvation army proved a great attraction here today and was greeted by an immense audience. He gave an address on the "Salvation Army and the Liquor Problem." The speaker said at the outset that in the 22 years that he had been connected with the army, he had never delivered a temperance lecture. He said:

"In dealing with this problem we try first to find the cause and then the remedy. Society's great moral sewage needs purifying. It is infested by deadly bacilli. The crowded condition of our slum, is responsible for much of the drunkenness. No preparation was made for the thousands of immigrants who landed on our shores. They were sandwiched among the rest, and no wonder they sought the light and cheer of the saloon. The poor salaries paid to clerks in large cities is another cause of drunkenness. Many work for a pittance that cannot sustain life, and they must have something in which to drown their sorrows.

"We think we have found an anti-toxin for this disease. We have work for all, and bread and butter for all. Can it be done? I say it is being done. The machinery is all there, our labor bureaus and industrial homes find work for thousands of the unemployed. The funds ofr these institutions do not come from large donations from the rich, but the nickles and pennies of those people with whom we are working.

"Then we have taken the waste land, the waste labor and formed our farm colonies in the west, and these are paying larger dividends today than many of the railroad stocks in which we are so anxious to secure an investment. None need starve, steal or commit suicide who come to us for help. To deal radically with the drink evil, our experience goes to show that we must remedy the cause and that is what the Salvation army is trying to do."

After the address, Commander Booth Tucker was tendered an informal reception.

HORSES STILL LIVE IN AN AERIAL STABLE

The horses confined in the cars of the Penn incline continue to "live high," with every prospect of so doing for several days. An attempt was made yesterday to let the cars down to the bottom, but it was fruitless. Visitors to the scene are frequent and the unique sight is enjoyed by all save the company, which has to care for the horses and is out considerable money on account of the tie-up. It is doubtful if any more attempts will be made to release the horses until the machinery has been repaired.

CIVIC FEDERATION FAILED TO END TEXTILE STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—The fact that the industrial branch of the National Civic Federation had made an effort to settle the textile strike in this city and failed was made public by leaders of the strikers today. The attempt was made in June and was kept quiet. The textile workers agreed to return to work on a 55 hours a week basis, and also agreed not to ask for higher wages until a reasonable time had elapsed. Some of the manufacturers tried to start their mills today, but failed.

Traction Men Will Not Strike.

The officers of division No. 85 of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Railway Employes deny the report that the division is about to order a strike against the company for discharging about 100 men Saturday. The officers of the company say the suspension of the men was caused by the plan of the management to reduce expenses.

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The celebrated "Dissertation on Roast Pig" contains no truer apophthegm. Nowadays, however, the difficulty of choosing a present is lessened by the fact that, granted it is of silver, it is sure to be acceptable.

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STERLING

CREDITORS WANT MONEY.

Great Grandson of Commodore Vanderbilt in a Serious Dilemma Through Debt.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Vanderbilt Allen, great grandson of Commodore Vanderbilt, is hedged round by creditors and is in imminent danger of becoming a public charge. Injunctions restraining him from disposing of his property are being hurled at him.

When Allen was released from a Connecticut sanitarium, where he had been confined for several years, he had on deposit with a trust company in New York, many thousands of dollars in bonds, but all his property had to be turned over to Charles W. Dayton, a receiver appointed by Judge Platt. The creditors are very numerous and clamorous for payment and filed orders today to prevent Mr. Allen from making any disposition of any of his property, and they will proceed to get an execution.

CLARA BARTON PROPOSES NATIONAL RELIEF FUND

OXFORD, MASS., Aug. 3.—A national relief organization, with branches in every city and town in the United States, with branch No. 1 in her native town of Oxford, is proposed by Miss Clara Barton, founder and president of the Red Cross. The plan has been formulated by Miss Barton in anticipation of the time when she must necessarily lay down the work. Miss Barton proposes that a national fund be established to be at ready command of a finance committee of men of national reputation when calamity breaks upon the country. She suggests that the organization be known as the National society of Red Cross.

GRAND JURY SUMMONED A RAILROAD ATTORNEY

CARTHAGE, MO., Aug. 3.—A subpoena was today served upon Col. W. H. Phelps, the railway attorney, at his home here, ordering him to appear before the grand jury at Jefferson City, now investigating charges of legislative boodling. Within the past two months several efforts have been made to serve subpoenas upon Col. Phelps, but today was the first time that he could be found.

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12½c DRESS PERCALES, 6¼c yd.	BEST INDIGO BLUE CALICOES, 6¼c quality, 4c yd.	10c BATISTE LAWNS, 3½c yd.
45c SILK MADRAS, 15c yd.	15c Dress Lawns and Dimities, 6¼c yd.	50c SILK GINGHAMS, 25c yd.
6¼c yard wide Muslins, 4½c.	35 cent White Ground Oxfords, 12½c yd.	1,000 yds. Bleached Muslins, 3½c yd.
50c Table Linens, 35c yd.	50 cent FRENCH ORGANDIES, Choice styles, 19c yd.	7c Wash Cloths, 1c each.
12½c Shirting Seersuckers, 8 1-3c yd.	75 cent 72-inch Cream Table Linens, Choice patterns, 50c yd.	20c Huck Towels, 10c.
100 doz. FRINGED NAPKINS, 1c each.	50c Ready-made Roller Towels, 3 yards long, 19c yd.	50c White Madras, 25c yd.
45c Anderson Ginghams, 19c yd.	25 cent White Goods for Waists or Full Suits, 12½c yd.	150 Extra Large Spreads, $1.00.
75c White Bed Spreads, 50c.	75 cent White Waistings, Mercerized goods. 39c.	Wool Bath Mats, 25c.

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For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 1:30 a. m. "Seashore Limited," 8:00 a. m. and 9 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week days, 10:00 p. m. daily, with through sleeping car.

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For Asbury Park, Ocean Grove and Long Branch, 7:15 a. m., "Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited" week-days, 9:00 p. m. daily.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:00, 8:25 a. m., 12:20 and 4:25 p. m. week-days.

For West Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:35 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, East Elizabeth, Monongahela City, Belle Vernon and West Brownsville, 6:05, 8:20, 10:35 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:20 (5:25 to Monongahela City), 6:40 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.

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Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
West Newton Accom.	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Con'l'v., Un'tn, Morgant.	† 1:30 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas't	† 1:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
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Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
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Whg., Zanesv. & Col. Ac.	* 1:05 pm	* 4:05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4:30 pm	* 6:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Whg. Ac.	* 5:35 pm	* 8:45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:50 pm	* 7:35 pm
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Cleve., Akron & Youngst.	* 7:50 am	* 5:15 am
Chicago and Cleveland	* 3:05 pm	*12:35 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	* 7:30 am	† 7:35 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
Butler, Con't Lake, Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler	†10:45 am	† 9:40 am
Butler, Con't Lake, Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:40 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:20 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenv.	† 3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Ellwood, New Castle	† 5:30 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler	* 6:15 pm	* 3:10 pm
Ellwood, New Castle and Foxburg	† 6:15 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler	*11:30 pm	* 7:20 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in effect June 14, 1903.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cin. & Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 3:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 8:30 pm
Youngst'n & Clevel'd Mail	* 8:25 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	† 8:25 am	† 7:15 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12:30 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	† 5:00 pm	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 7:30 pm	*12:00 pm
Boston Special	* 8:00 pm	* 6:55 am
Clevel'd & Detroit "Flyer"	‡ 6:00 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	‡ [illegible] pm	* 6:55 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10:20 pm	* 6:25 am
Youngstown Accommoda'n	† 5:25 am	* 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 6:30 am	† 5:05 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	* 9:00 am	* 9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	†12:10 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3:30 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:30 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Fayette City Accom.	† 6:10 am	† 7:29 am
Fayette C. & N. Haven Ex.	† 8:00 am	† 8:05 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City	†11:30 am	†12:40 pm
Fayette City & New Haven	† 4:00 am	† 4:20 pm
Fayette City, New Haven	† 5:20 pm	† 5:40 pm

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beading and Beechmont, †6:15 a. m., †16:15 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

‡Note—6:00 p. m. train on Sundays to Youngstown only.

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Pittsburgh, Pa.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect May 17, 1903. Trains leave B. & O. Depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard Time) for Conneaut, O., Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 9:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.; for Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keisters at 8:15 a. m., 1:15 and 3:00 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday. E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Leave for Washington, Pa., *6.00 am, †7.50 am, *8.50 am, †9.45 am, †1.30 pm, †3.25 pm, †4.10 pm, †5.25 pm, †5.50 pm, †8.20 pm, †10.50 pm.
Leave for Wheeling, *6.45 am, *8.50 am, †11.40 am, *6.30 pm, *8.45 pm.
Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, *8.20 am, *1.50 pm, †4.35 pm, *10.50 pm, *11.30 am.
Leave for Beaver, *5.40 am, *1.40 pm.
Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, *3.05 pm.
*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.
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